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THE LATEST NEWS

Condensed Telegrams from All Quarters.

—The American Medical Association met in Detroit, Mich., yesterday.

—The National Christian Association opposed to secret societies met in Syracuse, N. Y., last night.

—The annual meeting of the Western Associated Press has been called to meet at Put-in-Bay the last Wednesday in September.

—The President of the New York Produce Exchange forwarded yesterday to the Howard Association at New Orleans $2,500 for the relief of sufferers by the Mississippi overflow.

—Harry, aged ten, a son of Frank Mellersh, of Memphis, while trying to get a loaded pisto from a playmate yesterday afternoon, was accidently shot through the lungs, and probably fatally wounded.

—Wm. H. Neely, a laborer suffering from hernia brought on by lifting while in the employ of the Louisville & Portland Canal Company, has brought suit against the company for $20,000 damages.

—Nearly all the saloons and bars in Lockport, N. Y., were closed on Monday and Tuesday, the licenses having expired, and the Board of Excise having thus far refused to grant saloon licenses. Considerable excitement exists.

—In Nicholasville, Ky., on Tuesday, Harding H. McMasters was killed for requesting a saloon keeper not to sell liquor to his sister's husband. About twelve miles south of this place Granville Smith, a man sixty years old, killed his nephew, Tom Hughes, and then shot himself.

—In the United States District Court in Boston, on Tuesday morning, Judge Lowell gave his decision on the petition that the Union Pacific Railroad be required to appear and show cause why it should not be adjudged a bankrupt. The Court decided against the petitioner.

—The Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will hold a special meeting to-day, at which the question of the succession to the Presidency will be settled. It is believed Colonel Scott will be made the head of the road, Roberts First Vice President, and A. J. Cassatt, the present General Manager, Second Vice President.

—Rochefort has declined a banquet and has consented to deliver a lecture on Friday evening, in the Academy of Music, New York, taking for his subject: "France from the overthrow of the Empire to the present time." The proceeds will be applied to the relief of the exiles at New Caledonia, their destitute wives and children and the widows and children of Communists killed during the war.

—Lieutenant Governor Talbot, of Massachusetts, has sent to the State Senate a message, accompanied by his veto of the bill to abolish the State constabulary. He says if the local and State police together cannot enforce the law, it shows need for more instead of less force. He is unable to see any just reason for setting aside an instrumentality that has been so efficient in executing the laws.

—Chief Justice Dixon, of the Wisconsin Supreme Court, heard an argument yesterday in the *habeas corpus* case of Jno. O'Connor, of the Soldiers Home in Milwaukee county, arrested by the Sheriff of Milwaukee for assault and battery at the Soldiers' Home, and whom General Hincks refused to deliver up. Judge Dixon dismissed the case on the ground that the writ was issued by the Chief Justice at Chambers, and not tried by the court.

—Wm. Henry Taylor, Superintendent of the National Cemetery at Memphis, publishes a card denying that he participated in the riot and robbery on Decoration day. He had charge of the railroad grounds by permission, and ordered the refreshment stands off, and the proprietors readily complied. He further says that Recorder Winters, who is also a Justice of the Peace, advised the Pope brothers to pay twenty-five dollars demanded by Swann.

—Papers have been served upon the Attorney General and Railroad Commissioners of Wisconsin, notifying them that an injunction would be applied for in the United States District Court for the Western District of Wisconsin to restrain them from instituting any proceedings or taking any measures for the purpose of executing the act of the last Legislature. The action is brought by creditors of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad Company, who claim that their securities are weakened or destroyed by the law of last winter.

WESTWARD BOUND.

On the Rail—The Beautiful Valley of the Ohio—An Attack on Mother Stewart

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 1, 1874.

Bound to Cleveland by rail. As beautiful a morning as ever smiled on earth, clear sky, charming temperature, a pure, balmy, bracing atmosphere. How smooth this road; is you scarcely feel a jar.

We are sweeping through the valley of the Ohio. How beautiful! The river is on our left, from the smooth surface of whose waters the hills on the opposite side are reflected. On our right the hills approach and recede alternately, forming an ever-varying and a most charming panorama. As we rush by these green fields and growing gardens, and gaze with rapture on the trees clothed with a foliage rich and luxuriant, we know what this means—man makes the city; God makes the country.

Past Wellsville, up Yellow Creek, on to Alliance. The farms promise well for harvest. The wheat especially looks very fine.

Dinner at Alliance. Not so good as it used to be. Plenty on the table, but not prepared in so tempting a way as might be. Fewer dishes of better quality would be an improvement.

Cleveland. The Woman's Crusade in full blast. Mother Stewart here delivering addresses; making a stir. One of the morning papers has an editorial criticizing her pretty severely. This editorial bears on its very face the marks of contemptible prejudice and the meanest kind of unfairness. To make out its case it misconstrues and shamefully perverts the obvious meaning of Mother Stewart in the very quotations it makes from her addresses.

A public journal ought not to belittle itself, especially in making an unjust and malignant attack upon a noble, Christian woman. AMICUS

A CURIOUS CASE.

Rapid Coal Formation.

There is, perhaps, no opinion more generally held by geologists than that which assigns vast periods of time to all geological formations, and upon this assumption most of what we might call the arithmetical computation of geology is based. And yet, a fact occasionally appears which seems to show that this opinion is founded upon very insufficient evidence. One of these facts—in regard to the formation of coal—was recently brought before the German Geological Society by Herr Hirschwald, of Berlin. In one of the old mines in the Upper Hartz—the Dorothea mine, near Clausthal—some of the wood originally employed as timbering has become so far altered as to assume much of the character of a true lignite, or brown coal. It appears that certain of the levels in the ancient workings of this mine are filled with refuse matter, consisting chiefly of fragments of clay-slate, more or less saturated with mine-water, and containing here and there fragments of the old timbering. The wood when in the mine is wet and of a leathery consistence, but on exposure to the air it rapidly hardens to a solid substance, having most, if not all, the characters of a true lignite. It breaks with a well-marked conchoidal fracture, and the parts which are most altered present the black lustrous appearance characteristic of the German "pitch-coals." At the same time, chemical examination of the altered wood shows that it stands actually nearer to true coal than do some of the younger tertiary lignites. This instance seems, therefore, to prove that pine wood, when placed under highly favorable conditions, may be converted into a genuine lignite within a period which, from what we know of the history of mining in the Hartz, cannot have extended beyond four centuries.

Reparation for the Virginius Outrage.

The recent dispatches from London to the effect that Great Britain is about to press for the reparation due her from Spain for outrages committed upon British subjects when the Virginius was taken, has awakened considerable interest here. There is a feeling of chagrin that although this Government took the primary steps to obtain satisfaction for whatever wrongs we may have sustained in the Virginius affair, the negotiations have, to all appearances, been entirely suspended. It is predicted by the hotheads who have not yet recovered from the Spanish war fever, that Great Britain, notwithstanding she has modestly kept her claims in abeyance to permit the United States to first secure satisfaction, will yet have her wrongs adjusted before our claims are met, and they seem to feel that there is an exceeding great hardship in this. The State Department, in response to inquiries on this point, has alleged, by way of excuse for the delay, that we have been without the proper representative at Madrid, and it was deemed best to wait until a minister should be appointed and at his post rather than push matters at a time when they must be left to some extent in the hands of subordinates for management. This does not satisfy the fault-finders who assert that the *Charge d' Affaires* was fully competent to look after our interests. They will be from this time exceedingly impatient of further delay, now, that Mr. Cushing is fairly settled at his post.—*Cor. Cincinnati Commercial.*

FIRST EDITION.

FORTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

FIRST SESSION.

The Indian Appropriation Bill Passed by the Senate.

The Utah Bill Passed by the House

WASHINGTON, June 2, 1874.

SENATE.

Bills Reported.

Mr. WRIGHT, from the Committee on Finance, reported favorably on a bill to provide for the stamping of unstamped papers, documents and instruments in writing. Placed on the calendar.

He also gave notice that he would call up to-morrow the bill reported by him from the Judiciary Committee declaring the true intent and meaning of the Union Pacific Railroad acts.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, from the Judiciary Committee, reported favorably on a bill for the better organization of the District Courts of the United States in the State of Louisiana. Placed on the calendar.

Mr. MORRILL (Me.), from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the Pension Appropriation bill, with an amendment. Placed on the calendar. The amendment proposes that the pension agents' fee of thirty cents be reduced to twenty five cents instead of twenty cents, as provided by the House.

Mr. LOGAN, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported favorably on a bill to further continue the act authorizing the settlement of accounts of officers of the army and navy. Placed on the calendar.

Mr. LOGAN, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported adversely on a bill allowing army officers to wear certain emblems indicative of honors conferred upon them, and the committee was discharged from its further consideration.

He also reported adversely on a bill to put retired army officers on duty, and the committee was discharged from its further consideration.

Mr. SHERMAN, from the Committee of Finance, reported back the bill to amend the customs revenue law and to repeal moieties, with a number of additional amendments. Placed on the calendar. The bill as amended provides that the salaries of Collectors of Customs at Chicago and Cincinnati shall remain unchanged, together with those of all customs officers not specified in the amendments heretofore reported. Also, that all fees, storage and other emoluments now receivable by officers of customs shall hereafter be paid into the Treasury. A new amendment proposes to appropriate $100,000 to enable the Secretary of the Treasury to make compensation to informers, &c., during the next fiscal year, in accordance with provisions heretofore reported.

Indian Appropriation Bill.

The morning hour having expired, the Senate resumed consideration of the Indian Appropriation bill, and a number of amendments of an unimportant character submitted by the committee were agreed to.

Mr. BUCKINGHAM submitted an amendment appropriating $40,000, instead of $20,000 as recommended by the committee, for contingencies, traveling expenses, &c., of superintendents and agents, and the expenses of their offices. Agreed to.

He also submitted an amendment appropriating the necessary sum from the funds of the Winnebago Indians in Wisconsin to purchase from the Omaha Indians in Nebraska such quantity of land, not exceeding twenty sections, as may be required for the use of the Winnebagos. Agreed to.

Other amendments, submitted by Mr. Buckingham, chairman of the Committee on Indian Affairs, were agreed to, as follows: For the care of the Kansas Indians in the Indian Territory, and the erection of new buildings for them, $40,000; appropriating $19,000 for industrial schools at the Santee Sioux agency in Nebraska, and for the Otoe and Missouri tribes on the Otoe reservation in Nebraska; appropriating $35,000 for general educational purposes among Indians; increasing the appropriation for the settlement, support and civilization of the Kickapoo Indians in the Indian Territory from $15,000 to $25,000; also striking out the clause providing that all examinations of vouchers and accounts shall hereafter be performed in the city of Washington; authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to pay $100,000 from the proceeds of the sale of land known as "Cherokee strip" in Kansas to the Treasurer of the Cherokee Nation, to be used for the payment of outstanding claims against the nation and for the erection of a suitable building for a penitentiary, and appropriating $23,000 dollars for the civilization and benefit of the Pillager Indians at Leech Lake.

Mr. PRATT submitted an amendment appropriating $227,870, principal and interest, to pay a balance due the Pottowattomies under various treaties from 1795 to 1841, which, after discussion, was ruled out of order.

The request of the House of Representatives for a committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two houses on the bankrupt bill was granted.

The Indian Appropriation bill was then reported to the Senate.

Mr. HAGER moved that the provision in the House bill authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to set aside a reservation for Indians roaming in northern California, on which they may establish their homes, and retain the same, and appropriating an additional sum of $5,000 for agricultural purposes thereon, which was stricken out by the Senate Committee on Appropriations, be reinstated, with a modification leaving the matter discretionary with the Secretary of the Interior.

Mr. Hager's motion was lost, and the clause was stricken out as recommended by the committee.

The bill was then read the third time and passed.

Cheap Transportation.

Mr. WINDOM moved that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the resolution introduced by him in regard to cheap transportation. Agreed to.

Mr. SHERMAN said the resolution just taken up would be unfinished business to-morrow, and he therefore moved that the Senate proceed to the consideration of executive business.

Engrossed Bills.

Mr. CLAYTON, from the Conference Committee on the resolution to suspend the rules so that bills to codify the laws might be sent to the President for his signature in print, instead of being engrossed on parchment, made a report, which provides that those bills may be sent to the executive in print, after being examined by the chairmen of the two Committees on Engrossed Bills. Agreed to.

Inter-State Commerce.

Mr. WINDOM, from the Committee on Transportation, reported a substitute for the bill to regulate commerce by railroad among the several States. Placed on the calendar.

The Senate went into executive session, and soon after adjourned.

HOUSE.

Courts and Judicial Officers in Utah.

Mr. POLAND, from the Judiciary Committee, called up the bill reported by him some time ago in relation to Courts and judiciary officers in Utah.

Mr. CESSNA moved a substitute for one of the sections in regard to summoning grand and petit jurors. The substitute requires lists to be made up of male citizens without regard to their religion, politics or social positions.

A Blunder.

Pending the question the Speaker said he had just been notified by the Journal Clerk that two of the bills passed last night on the report of the Committee on Judiciary had already been passed once before in this session, and consequently he would have proceedings in reference to them omitted from the Journal, and the bills would not be sent to the Senate.

The Utah Bill.

Coming back to the Utah bill, Mr. POLAND briefly explained and advocated its provisions.

Mr. CROUNZ opposed it as establishing a dangerous precedent.

Mr. CANNON, the Delegate from Utah, addressed the House in opposition to the bill, and pointed out its exceptional injustice to that Territory. His objection to it was that it was special in its provisions. If there was any reason for it, that reason also applied to all other Territories. He charged that the United States Marshal and United States District Attorney for Utah had been here since the opening of the session, lobbying and button-holing members in favor of the bill, and the District Attorney had claimed the authorship of it.

Mr. CESSNA explained the difference between his amendment and the provision in the bill. The latter, he said, made unjust discriminations in favor of Mormons. If polygamy was good for them, it was equally good for all.

Mr. POLAND closed the debate, and declared as an undeniable fact that the Mormons were as hostile to the Government as any portion of the people of the South had been in the darkest hour of the rebellion. Twelve years ago Congress had passed a bill making polygamy a crime in all the territories.

The debate closed, and the House proceeded to vote on the bill and amendments. Mr. Cessna's amendment was rejected.

Mr. BARBER offered an amendment providing that the salary and fees of the District Attorney should not be more in the aggregate than $3,500, and that any excess of fees should be accounted for to the Treasury. Agreed to.

The bill was then passed—yeas 159, nays 55.

Public Buildings.

The remainder of the day's session was given to business of the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Mr. PLATT, chairman of that committee, reported a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to suspend work on public buildings in certain cases. Passed.

Also adversely on a resolution offered by Mr. Cox some time ago as to the new State Department building, calling for a board of architects to examine and report upon it. Ordered printed.

The House then took a recess till half-past seven o'clock, the evening session to be for business from the Committee on Private Land Claims.

RELIGIOUS.

General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church.

ST. LOUIS, June 2.—At last evening's session of the General Assembly, a report from the Committee on the Office of Ruling Elders was presented, and soon after an amendment was adopted. It provides that any church by a vote of its members in full communication may elect ruling elders for a limited time, provided that the time be not less than three years, and the session be made to consist of three classes, one of which only shall be elected every year; and, provided, the elders once ordained shall not be divested of office, though they were not re-elected. It also provides that ruling elders cannot sit and vote with acting elders in cases of actual process judicially.

In the case of the complaint presented by Dr. Varmilye, of New York, against the Central Presbytery of Philadelphia, for receiving the Third Reformed church, of that city, separated from the pastor thereof, and uniting it with the Western Presbyterian church, the special committee to whom the case was referred, reported, through Dr. Nelson, chairman, exonerating the Presbytery, and suggesting that the question of property interest involved in the case be left to a civil tribunal. The report was adopted.

The Assembly has decided to adjourn on Wednesday evening, when about one hundred members of that body will start on an excursion to Colorado, a special train having been tendered them by the St. Louis, Kansas City & Northern and Kansas Pacific Railways for that purpose. The narrow gauge road, extending from Denver to Pueblo, will also extend courtesies to the party for a visit to Colorado Springs and other notable places in that section of territory.

This morning the temperance question came up on a motion to adopt the resolution offered by Dr. Lyman Atwater for a series of resolutions submitted by Rev. M. White. The latter held that the exigencies of the times demanded strict and positive action on the part of the Church. He said what was wanted was something plain and practicable and conducive to unity of action.

The Assembly refused to extend the debate, and a vote was taken, and Dr. Atwater's substitute was adopted. It regrets the great evil of intemperance, and urges all to unite against it, but is not dogmatic, nor does it pretend to express the opinion of the Assembly.

The woman question then came up as the special order of business. Dr. Richardson presented a report of the special committee to which the matter had been referred, which declares that a literal interpretation of the previous deliverance of the General Assembly denied the right of women to teach, pray and exhort in public or promiscuous assemblages. Each Assembly, however, had the right to order its own proceedings, and might, therefore, decide in reference to this subject, whether it would or would not permit a deviation in this matter.

Dr. Robert Arkman offered as a substitute a resolution that the Assembly expresses no opinion as to the scriptural view of woman's right to speak or pray in a social prayer meeting, and commit the whole subject to the discretion of the pastors and elders of churches.

The previous question was called. The motion to recommit was lost by a large majority.

Dr. Arkman's substitute was then adopted by a vote of 211 to 84.

The committee appointed at the last General Assembly to consider the appointment of a new and final court of appeals reported in favor of a court of eighteen, composed of nine ministers and nine ruling elders, who shall hear and decide all questions except questions of doctrine.

A paper protesting again such a court was received from the Synod of Buffalo. Both the report and remonstrance were laid over for another year.

At the afternoon session Dr. Wm. L. Breckenridge, of the committee appointed to consider the expediency of a committee from this Assembly conferring with the Southern Assembly, reported that owing to the action of that Assembly nothing remained to be done.

Dr. McCook, chairman of the Standing Committee on Missions for Freedmen, made a report, giving statistics relating to the work of the committee during the year.

The moderator announced several special committees, the most important one of the Pennsylvania Presbyterian Council, as follows: Dr. Howard Crosby, Dr. J. R. Paxton, Dr. Jas. McCosh, Dr. J. Niccolls, Dr. Bronson, Dr. Chas. A. Dickey, Dr. Wm. C. Roberts, Dr. Chas. S. Robinson, Dr. Alex. Reed, Dr. Wm. B. Breed, Rev. Addison Henry, Rev. Eberle W. Thompson, and elders Judge Drake, Thomas O. Low and Lee, all leading lights in the Church.

SPORTING NEWS.

The Turf.

WATFORD, ONT., June 2.—H. Ray's pony trotted yesterday before a sulky on the Watford course eighty-seven miles in eleven hours and twenty minutes in one straight beat. A large amount of money changed hands in betting.

Strike of Brakemen on the C. & A. R. R.

CHICAGO, June 2.—A Bloomington dispatch says: "The managers of the Chicago & Alton Railroad having reduced the wages of the brakemen to forty-five dollars per month for old hands and forty for new men, a general strike of brakemen has taken place. So far trains are moved by using conductors as brakemen, but at Bloomington to-day a large number of strikers gathered at the depot and around the yards, and refused to permit trains to be made up." The dispatch says it is quite possible that a general suspension of the business of the road may be caused by the strike.

NEW CASTLE CORRESPONDENCE.

Decoration Day—New Buildings—The Depression in the Iron Trade—Ladies' Temperance League—"Big Injun on the Rampage"—Political Gossip—Grangers—Dedication—Base Ball.

NEW CASTLE, PA., June 1, 1874.

EDS. GAZETTE:—Decoration day was more generally observed in this city this year than ever before. The procession formed at 10 o'clock headed by St. Mary's Cornet Band and followed by the Ladies' Temperance League, Sunday school scholars, Lawrence Guards, Frohsinn Singing Society, a squad of colored soldiers, city officials, Eagle, Neshannock and Vigilant fire companies, hook and ladder companies, citizens in carriages and on foot. The above is not the exact order in which they appeared, but not expecting to report proceedings did not pay close attention to the order in which the procession was formed. The intense heat no doubt prevented hundreds of our people from participating in the procession. Much taste was exhibited by the different fire organizations in the way of decorations, and it was generally conceded that the Vigilants carried off the palm. From 10 to 12 o'clock business was almost entirely suspended, in accordance with a proclamation issued by the Mayor. Our citizens are well pleased with the day's performance, and we trust that next year's display will be no discredit to the one just over.

Great activity is being displayed by our property owners in the erection of new and suitable buildings for our business men. Since the first big fire, which occurred one year ago last month, *twenty three* store rooms have been erected, or are now in course of erection, while new dwellings are springing up in every direction.

The depression in the iron trade is being felt here at the present time, more so than at any period since the commencement of the panic. Six out of our seven furnaces are in blast, but how long they will continue depends entirely on the prospects of a brighter future for the iron interest of our country. The Onondaga rolling mill and nail factory are running full time at present, while the plate and sheet mill is partly in operation. The extensive rolling mill, plate mill and nail factory of Reis, Brown & Berger, has not been running for some time, and as a consequence a large number of idle men and boys are to be seen on the streets.

Not wishing to be behind hand, our ladies have organized a Temperance League, but as yet have made no advance upon the works of the enemy. Regular meetings are held, and it is to be hoped that much good will be accomplished.

Allen's big "Injin," which stands daily in front of his store trying to fool people by holding out in his hand a bunch of wooden cigars, got on the "rampage" one day last week. By some means he became unfastened from his position, and Mr. Allen, who was sitting near at the time, made an effort to stop the would-be runaway, but before doing so received a "well-directed" blow in the face from the aforesaid fist and bunch of cigars. Allen says if he don't behave himself in the future he will turn him over to the tender mercies of General Sheridan.

There is not much stir as yet on the surface in political matters, but the prospects are fair for an exciting campaign in the ranks of the Republican party. It is not settled yet whether Mr. Moore, our member of Congress, will have any opposition for a renomination in this county. Quite a number of candidates are springing up over the county for the Legislature. This county is entitled to two members, and it is generally conceded that our able and efficient member of last winter, Mr. Morgan, will be renominated by a large majority. We believe we but express the opinion of the best men of both parties when we say that Lawrence county never had a more efficient and accommodating member than Mr. Morgan. Candidates for the office of Register and Recorder, made vacant by the death of Mr. Murdick, are as plenty as potato bugs. About every fourth person in the county seems to think that he is especially fitted for that position, and a sharp contest for the nomination is anticipated. The office is now filled by W. W. Officer, who was appointed to the position by the Governor. Mr. O. is a candidate for the nomination, but the fact that many Republicans are dissatisfied with the manner in which he obtained the appointment, his nomination is considered very uncertain. For the remaining offices there will be plenty of applicants when the time comes for active operations.

Two lodges of Patrons of Husbandry were organized in this county some time ago. The excitement seems to be dying out, as no new lodges are being formed. So far as we are able to learn, the two now in operation are increasing in membership. As yet the organization is two weak to make itself felt in our county politics.

The Frohsinn Singing Society dedicated their new hall on Thursday evening. Everything passed off pleasantly, much to the satisfaction of the members. The music was furnished by the Great Western Band of your city.

Base ball is all the rage at present among the male population. Three games for the championship have already taken place between the doctors and lawyers; the first game being a tie, and the other two being won by the doctors, much to the mortification of the other profession. VICTOR.

SECOND EDITION.

Four O'Clock.

FOREIGN.

Stormy Debate in the French Assembly.

Englishmen After "Consequential Damages."

San Sebastian Attacked by Carlists.

FRANCE.

Assembly Proceedings.

VERSAILLES, May 2.—The vote in the Assembly last night on passing to record the reading of the municipal bill was 239 to 298. There was considerable anxiety in the Chamber during the vote, as it was feared that it would participate the dissolution of the Assembly.

In the Assembly to-day the general election bill was taken up, and a stormy debate followed. M. Brisson, a Radical, in the course of a bitter speech, taunted the Bonapartists with leading France to Sedan. A scene of wild excitement ensued, and at one time some of the Deputies almost came to blows.

Speech by Gambetta.

M. Gambetta delivered a speech at Audrienne to-day. He made a comprehensive statement of the position of the Republican party, and declared that the progress it had made was owing to its admirable organization. He predicted that the final struggle would be between Republicanism and Bonapartism. He severely denounced the conduct of the Bonapartists, and concluded with an eloquent and earnest appeal to the Liberals to unite in the work of consolidating the republic.

M. Gambetta's audience numbered about 500, and included many members of the Assembly and several mayors who were dismissed by the late Government.

The debate on the electoral bill will be continued to-morrow, when M. Ledru Rollin will speak against the measure.

M. Brisson, in his speech to-day, solemnly warned the chamber that the adoption of the bill would lead to revolution or a plebiscitum.

M. Gambetta, at Auxerre to-day, denounced the plebiscitum as false in principle and lying homage to national sovereignty. All citizens should demand an appeal to the people by means of general elections. This was a vital question.

A French Newspaper Under a Cloud.

STRASBOURG, June 2.—The German authorities have prohibited the circulation of the Paris *Dix Neuvieme Siecle* newspaper in Alsace and Lorraine.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Proceedings of Parliament.

LONDON, June 2.—In the House of Commons to-night the usual motion was made to adjourn over Derby day. Sir Wilfred Lawson opposed adjournment, but the motion was carried by a vote of 243 to 69.

George Anderson, member for Glasgow, called attention to the losses of British subjects through the escape of the Alabama and other causes. He complained of the high-handed manner in which the late Government had prevented timely criticisms of the treaty of Washington. There were three classes of British subjects who deserved compensation: First, residents in the Southern Confederacy who lost their property through the inability of the United States to enforce the laws; second, those whose property was destroyed after Lee's surrender; third, owners of goods on board prizes of Confederate cruisers He believed the United States were willing to recognize these claims.

Mr. Anderson then moved that in the opinion of the House it is wrong that individuals should suffer loss through a national wrong; that as England has been adjudicated at fault in permitting the escape of the Alabama, and has compensated Americans for losses incurred thereby, similar compensation is due to British sufferers from the same causes.

Mr. Burke, Under Secretary for the Foreign Department, replying, declined to enter upon the discussion of the merits of the treaty of Washington. The Joint High Commissioners had decided that the United States Government was not responsible for the acts of rebels. As that Government had agreed to appoint a commission to examine claims for losses arising after Lee's surrender, he hoped the subject before the House would not be pressed.

The motion was then negatived.

SPAIN.

A General Election to be Ordered.

PARIS, June 2.—It is reported here on good authority that Marshal Serrano will soon order a general election in Spain, and if the monarchists are in a majority he will propose the enthronement of the Prince of Asturias under his own regency.

San Sebastian Attacked by Carlists.

LONDON, June 3.—Dispatches from San Sebastian report that the town has been attacked by Carlists in force, and is in a critical situation. Men-of-war have been sent to protect the foreign residents. Reinforcements for the garrison are hastening from the interior.

AUSTRIA.

Inundations in Hungary.

LONDON, June 3.—A special dispatch from Vienna to the *Standard* reports extensive inundations in the province of Banat and elsewhere in Hungary. Many villages have been swept away.

GERMANY.

International Rights in Time of War.

BRUSSELS, June 2.—A congress to consider the subject of international rights in time of war will convene in this city on the 27th of July next.

EGYPT.

Commercial Treaties with Foreign Powers.

LONDON, June 3.—The Khedive of Egypt has entered upon the negotiation of commercial treaties with foreign powers independently of the Sublime Porte.

ITALY.

The Grist Tax.

ROME, June 2.—The Italian Senate has approved the bill modifying the grist tax.

WEATHER REPORT.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., 1 A. M., June 3, 1874.

Probabilities for To-day.

For New England and the northern portion of the Middle States, clear or fair weather and southeast to southwest winds will prevail, with low temperature and falling barometer.

For the southern portion of the Middle States, continued cool and cloudy weather, and possibly rain in Southern Virginia.

The Rivers.

The Mississippi and lower Ohio rivers will fall slowly during Wednesday.

Daily Bulletin.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATORY,
PITTSBURGH, June 2, 1874, 10:48 P. M.

The weather at Cairo was threatening, thermometer 75; Cincinnati, cloudy, thermometer 70; Leavenworth, clear, thermometer 74; Indianapolis, Ind., cloudy, thermometer 68; Keokuk, fair, thermometer 78; Fort Gibson, fair, thermometer 74; La Crosse, cloudy, thermometer 57; Davenport, Iowa, fair, thermometer 63; Louisville, Kentucky, fair, thermometer 63; Memphis, Tenn., cloudy, thermometer 71; Nashville, cloudy, thermometer 79; Omaha, Neb., fair, thermometer 68; Pittsburgh, fair, thermometer 65; Shreveport, fair, thermometer 80; St. Louis, Mo., cloudy, thermometer 69; St. Paul, Minn., light rain, thermometer 55; Vicksburg, clearing, thermometer 72.

GEO. H. ROHE, Observer.

IOWA.

The Central Railroad in Trouble.

DES MOINES, June 2.—A bill in Chancery was filed in the United States Court for the foreclosure of the first and second mortages of the Central Railroad Company of Iowa, and for the appointment of a Receiver pending the decision. H. E. J. Boardman, A. V. Lynde, Charles Alexander, E. B. Page, A. W. Spencer, Sophie W. Dana and Quincy A. Brown, of Massachusetts, Jos. Wentworth and Elijah Colburn, of New Hampshire, Nathaniel Holmes, of St. Louis, and two hundred and sixty other bondholders are complainants. It is averred that false representations were made in securing the funding of past due coupons, that the management of the road is in the hands of a few creditors who are solely interested in securing their claims to the prejudice of the bondholders, that the road is grossly mismanaged, &c.

Rejoicing in Utah.

SALT LAKE, June 2.—The *Tribune* publishes an extra this evening with the heading: "Glory to God," "Our liberties at last achieved," "Utah relieved from polygamy and slavery," "Congress has passed the Poland bill.

THE CAPITAL.

Gen. Bristow Confirmed as Secretary of the Treasury.

Richardson's Nomination Confirmed by a Small Majority.

Opening Bids for Carrying the Mails.

The Investigation into Note Printing.

Another Bill to Regulate Inter-State Commerce.

WASHINGTON, June 2, 1874.

Opening Bids for Carrying the Mails.

By invitation of the Postmaster General, a large number of the Representatives of Western States and Territories assembled at the department this morning to aid him in determining the sufficiency of bonds forwarded by successful bidders for mail service under the last letting. Generally the sureties were considered by the Representatives present to be adequate, but in some cases the bondsmen were unknown to the Representatives, and therefore no assurance could be given concerning them. A very small proportion of the bidders failed to furnish bonds for the execution of their contracts. The result is attributed to the working of the five per cent. deposit system. It is considered that many bonds furnished will prove worthless, and the department favors still further amendments of the law so as to exact heavy penalties against postmasters who certify that "straw" bonds are good and sufficient.

Investigation into Note Printing.

During the consideration of the currency printing question before the Committee on Banking and Currency to-day, Hubbard, of the counsel for the New York Bank Note Printing Companies, said the secret process of printing currency in the Government Printing Bureau, which the Bureau claimed as a preventive against counterfeiting, was nothing more than a bath of castile soap and animal glue, and that persons employed in the Bureau had given a representative of these companies information that the process was a humbug.

Assistant Secretary Sawyer said if these employes of the Government knew this secret process was a humbug they should have so stated to the head of the department, instead of volunteering information to outside hostile parties. If they knew it to be a humbug and did not so inform the proper authority they should be discharged for dereliction of duty.

F. P. Stanton, counsel for the Columbia Bank Note Printing Company, took issue with Hubbard, saying it could not be established beyond doubt that printing with the proper kind of sizing was not only a guard against counterfeiting, but gave the note additional durability.

Mr. Maynard, chairman of the committee, thought as persons in the department had voluntarily given the information repeated by the counsel for the bank note printing companies, they should have no objection to appearing before the committee and make their statement.

Mr. Hubbard, in reply to a demand by several members of the committee for the names of the informants, said he was not at liberty to give them, but the committee could summon witnesses from the bureau to prove whether the statements were true. He further said these informants were not experts.

Bristow's Nomination Confirmed.

When the Senate went into executive session this afternoon, a unanimous report was made from the Committee on Finances, recommending the confirmation of General Bristow to be Secretary of the Treasury in place of Richardson, resigned. The Senate without hesitation unanimously confirmed the nomination.

Not so, however, with regard to the nomination of Richardson to be Judge of the Court of Claims, which was not reported back unanimously from the Committee on Judiciary in a forty minutes' session. Views were interchanged by Senators rather in a conversational way than by debate, the Democrats openly basing their opposition to the nominee on the report of the Committee on Ways and Means and the accompanying testimony in the Sanborn case having reference to him. With this exception no question arose as to his fitness for the Judgeship. But little was said on the Republican side, certainly no formal defence of his conduct in the matter of the Sanborn contracts. Finally, when the question was taken on advising and consenting to the nomination, a number of Republican Senators in their seats declined to vote. A sufficient number of them, however, did so to carry the nomination by a small majority. If those who opposed the nomination by failing to respond to their names had voted in the negative, the nomination would have been rejected. The Senate had been canvassed by a Senatorial friend of Richardson a week before his nomination was transmitted to the Senate, when it appeared that a confirmation could be secured, though by a small majority. Massachusetts has now two Judges on the bench of the Court of Claims—Loring and Richardson.

Regulating Inter-State Commerce.

The substitute reported by Senator Windom from the Transportation Committee for the House bill to regulate commerce among the several States provides that every line of railroad extending into or through two or more States, and employed in carrying freight between points in different States, or to or from any foreign country, whether owned and operated by one or by several corporations or persons, shall keep posted in each of its stations and depots a full classification of freights and its charges per mile for every distance for which it receives freight for transportation, and the rates so established and posted shall be the lawful rates it shall charge in every case, except for Government transportation and for charitable purposes, so long as said schedules remain unchanged, and thirty days' notice must be given of any intended change of schedule rates. The bill prohibits any and all discriminations in charges for like services performed for different shippers, or any discrimination in the delivery of freight, except according to priority of shipment. It is also provided that a railroad company receiving freight for transportation over other roads in addition to its own line shall be responsible to the shipper for the safe delivery of freight at its destination. Each violation of any of the foregoing provisions is to be punished by a fine not less than $500 nor more than $5,000.

Nominations Confirmed.

The Senate has confirmed the following nominations: Peter Negley, Assistant Treasurer at Baltimore; James B. McKean, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Utah; and Wm. Cooper Howells, of Ohio, Consul at Quebec.

POLITICAL.

Election in Oregon.

PORTLAND, June 2.—Returns come in slowly. Tolman, Republican, for Governor, carries Multnomah by about 500 plurality, Marion by 150, and Yamhill by a small plurality. Campbell, Independent candidate, probably carried Douglas by 250 majority over both the other candidates. He carries Polk by 100 plurality, and Lane by about 100. Grover, Democratic candidate, has a much lighter vote than was anticipated. He carries Linn by a reduced party vote, and his vote everywhere is behind his party.

The contest for Congressman will not vary much from Governor, and Davenport, Independent, runs behind Campbell. Tolman's own precinct, heretofore Republican, goes against him.

Returns received thus far are mainly from places along the railway line, and are more influenced by the railway. It is expected that Tolman's vote in the county will fall off considerable. The Temperance party proved to have had quite an important vote in some parts of the State. In this county this influence caused the defeat of some of the Independent ticket. The Custom House ticket gets this city, and the county one Senator, one Representative, County Judge, Treasurer and Assessor. The Independents have carried their ticket in many counties, and will hold control of the Legislature. The Independents are rejoicing and exchanging congratulations. Their triumph in Portland is regarded as the grandest victory they could have asked.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 2.—The Republicans claim the election of Tolman as Governor of Oregon by two hundred majority, although the Eastern counties are to be heard from. The balance of the State ticket is very close. Campbell, Independent for Governor, carries Douglass county by two hundred majority. Multnomah county gives six hundred majority for Tolman. The county and district officers are about equally divided between the Independents and Republicans.

ARKANSAS

Appointments by the Governor.

LITTLE ROCK, June 2.—The following appointments have been made by Gov. Baxter: Eli English, Chief Justice, vice John McClure impeached and suspended; Wm. M. H. Treyson, Associate Justice, vice M. L. Stephenson, resigned; John T. Reardon and F. M. Compton, Associate Justices, vice Searle and Bennett, impeached and suspended; John J. Clouden, Circuit Judge, vice John Whylock, resigned; J. C. Davis, Circuit Judge, vice W. H. S Clayton, resigned; Robt. S. Fuller, Circuit Judge, vice Geo. A. Kingston, resigned; J. N. Smith, Commissioner of Immigration and State Lands, vice Wm. H. Gray, impeached and suspended.

Lousiana Levee Bonds.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., June 2.—The Supreme Court has decided the levee bonds issued under act No. 32 of 1870 to be valid obligations of the State. These bonds had been enjoined, and in consequence of that injunction Stern Bros., of London, and other large foreign bond holders, commenced suits. The Funding Board will commence funding in July, paying interest on all bonds to January 1st, and interest on the new bonds to July 1st.

Dr. Wengert's Medicines

Are still going—people are beginning to know the virtues of Samson Oil the great rheumatic remedy and pain slayer, and his Hepatica Pills and Blood Purifier. They have been here only a few weeks yet have gained already a grand reputation.

NEW YORK.

Horrible Tragedy in Brooklyn

A Woman Kills her Three Children and Fatally Wounds her Husband.

NEW YORK, June 2, 1874.

Horrible Tragedy.

Soon after the family of Michael Dwyer, No. 35 North Eighth street, Brooklyn, and consisting of himself, wife and three children, aged seven, four and two years, arose this morning, the wife stepped behind her husband and struck him on the head with a cooper's adze. He wrested the weapon from her and ran to the station-house to have his wounds dressed. Officers were sent to secure the woman, and on arriving at the residence found the children lying on the floor dead, their heads beaten to a jelly with a flat-iron. The woman being asked why she had killed the children, answered that she was going to Heaven and wanted them to go before. The father's wounds are thought to be fatal. Dwyer is a cooper, and has been on a strike for a week past, and thinks that led to his wife's insanity. The deprivations necessitated in the family were the cause of numerous contentions between the husband and wife, and it is believed that in the end it resulted in overturning her mind. The woman was in a lunatic asylum about a year ago, but when she was released it was thought she was completely cured. Dwyer would have doubtless returned to work had he not feared the Union.

The scene in the room after the tragedy beggars description. The murdered children were lying side by side, the blood and brains slowly exuding from their skulls. The bed clothes were soaked and heavy with a sickening stain. The body of little Tim, the baby, was not so badly mangled as were the bodies of the older children. From the terrible wounds found on Maggy's face and skull, it is evident that the mother must have pounded the child's head with the flat-iron for several minutes. Jemmy, the four year old boy, is also horribly mutilated.

Mrs. Dwyer expresses no remorse, does not cry, and says the children are better dead than alive. In answer to questions at the station house she said: I am a murderess. I have defied the law, but my little ones, thank God, are in heaven. I have often felt like killing myself, and I knew that if I went first and left them behind me they would never reach heaven. You see, sir, my husband wouldn't go to work. I warned him to go, and yet he persisted, and my brain is not quite right sometimes, and that's the way it happened I took the lives of my children. It was for their soul's sake. First I killed the baby, my little Tim. He was one year and nine months old. The reason I took the baby first was because he was lying nearest to me. He made some noise. I think he cried quite hard, but it didn't last long. I hit Maggie second. She spoke up and said "Mamma." I said "It's me, Maggie." Then I put her out of her trouble. Maggie was a good girl. She told me many times she wanted to go to heaven. Once I asked her whether she would feel bad if I should drown her in the river. She said "No, for she should go to heaven." Then I took Jemmy; he woke up and moaned; so I turned him over to let the blood run out of his head faster. They were good children.

It is hardly possible that the husband will survive his injuries.

Corner Stone Laying

President Grant this afternoon laid the corner stone of the American Museum of Natural History at Central Park in the presence of five thousand people. Addresses were made by Gov. Dix, H. G. Stebbins and others. Among those present were Secretaries Fish, Belknap and Robeson, and Senator Boutwell. The building is to be twenty five feet longer than the National Capitol at Washington, and will cost $6,000,000.

Fatal Quarrel Among Gipsies.

A gipsy fortune teller, encamped with a tribe a few miles from Brooklyn, quarreled to-day with the leader of the band. He struck her, and her son, a boy, knocked him down. The leader fired several shots at the boy. The latter, who was hit, staggered toward the leader and stabbed him in the arm. The leader then shot the boy through the heart. The body was thrown into one of the wagons and the band hastily left. An armed party has gone in pursuit.

James Fisk's Estate.

In the case of Lucy Fisk, executrix of the late James Fisk, Jr., to determine her right as stockholder in the Union Pacific Railroad Company to the amount of two thousand shares, Judge Blatchford gave a decision to-day overruling the demurrer, and stating that the bill was properly framed, and that all parties are proper parties to the suit.

The Labor Troubles.

The strike of the laborers who attend on bricklayers brought work to a stand-still to-day on many buildings. New men were obtained in some cases, and one large contractor has decided to obtain Italians instead of the laborers recently in his employ.

J. Edgar Thomson's Will

PHILADELPHIA, June 2.—The will of the late J. Edgar Thomson will be admitted to probate in the course of a few days. It is generally understood that the instrument contains provisions that after the death of Mrs. Thomson the estate is to be disposed of for the purpose of erecting and maintaining an institution in which the children of employes of the Pennsylvania Railroad killed in the discharge of their duty may have a home.

ADDITIONAL RIVER NEWS.

CINCINNATI, June 2.—River eight feet; stationary. Arrived—Charmer, Evansville. Departed—Andes, Wheeling; Pat Rodgers, Memphis.

ST. LOUIS, June 2.—Arrived—Grand Tower, Memphis; Roberts, Cairo; Lewis, Missouri river; Means, Ohio river; Northwestern, St. Paul; Rob Roy, Keokuk. Departed—Belle La Crosse, St. Paul; Colossal, Galena; Ste. Genevieve, Vicksburg; Florence, Illinois river. River falling slowly. Cloudy and cool; heavy showers this evening. The steamer Rob Roy was snagged and sunk three miles above here this morning, but was raised soon after by her own pumps, and arrived here to-night. The steamer Geo. C. Wolff was sunk in the Missouri river to-day, twelve miles below Brunswick, in nine feet of water. She is badly broken, and probably cannot be raised. She had about seventy-five tons of freight, owned here, valued at $30,000; insured in Howe & Carroll's Agency for $20,000.

EVANSVILLE, June 2.—Cloudy, with rain this morning; clear this evening; mercury 66 to 84. River fallen 2 inches; 5 feet to Cairo. Up—John B. Maude 3 A. M.; Pat Cleburne and Arlington, 5; Geo Roberts, 9; Mary Davage and barges, 1 P. M.; Fearless and Mary Ames, 5. Down—Tarascon, 2:30; Silver Thorn, 3 P. M.; Arkansas Belle, 4; T. N. Miller, 4; Florence Lee, 6. Business slack.

LOUISVILLE, June 2.—River falling; five feet one inch in canal. Arrived—General Lytle, Cincinnati; Eureka, Madison; Argosy and barges, Evansville; Eva No. 9, Evansville; J. D. Parker, Memphis. Departed—Lytle, Cincinnati; Eureka, Madison; Argosy and barges, Cincinnati; Eva No. 9, Cincinnati; J. D. Parker, Henderson.

CAIRO, June 2.—Arrived—Future City and Henry Ames, New Orleans, 5 P. M.; Bigley, St. Louis, 6; Thomas Sherlock, New Orleans, 8. Departed—Ames and Future City, St. Louis, 7 P. M. River 14 feet 2 inches; falling. Cloudy; mercury 88.

MEMPHIS, June 2.—River falling slowly. There was a fine rain this morning. Departed—Colorado and City of Vicksburg, St. Louis; Julia, Vicksburg; Robert Mitchell, New Orleans.

VICKSBURG, June 2.—Up—Bee and barges and City of Helena. Down—Governor Allen. Warm and rain. River fell 6 inches.

NASHVILLE, June 2.—River 2 feet 9 inches on shoals. Departed—R. H. Cook, Cairo.

ADDITIONAL MARKETS.

Live Stock.

WATERTOWN, June 2.—Cattle slow and prices firm; receipts 452; choice $9.50@10; extra $8.75@9.25; first quality $7.75@8.60; second do $6@7.25; third $5.25@5.75. Sheep and lambs: market quiet; receipts 634; sales in lots at $4@5.50 each; ext a $7@8.75.

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TO LET.

TO LET—A FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED room, in Allegheny City, near the Parks. Rent moderate. Address Box 1350, Pittsburgh, Pa. j1:c52

TO LET—ROOMS ON FIRST, SECOND and third floor, in the new Iron Building, corner of Sixth avenue and Wood street. Inquire of JOHN FLOYD American Bank my30:c11

TO LET—HALL, 75 FEET BY 30, fourth story of 51 Fifth avenue. Excellent light front and rear. Enquire of H. McCALLUM. mh10:y94

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—SECOND HAND MACHINERY.—2 Planers and Matchers; 1 Moulder, 4 Sides, 2 Iron Lathes, 1 Drill Press, and 1 Sturdevant Fan—all in good order. M. E. COCHRAN & CO., 121 Liberty street.

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MEETINGS.

LIQUOR DEALERS PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.—A special meeting of the L. D. P. A. will be held TO-DAY, at 2 P. M., MALTBY HALL. All members are requested to attend as business of importance will come before the meeting. CHAS. F. MAHMMACHER, Secretary. je3:c50

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Notice to Rivermen.

Notice is hereby given to those interested in the navigation of the Allegheny river, that on and after June 8th, 1874, the channel from south abutment to pier No. 4, a distance of 212 feet will be temporarily obstructed by the false works of first span of UNION BRIDGE. The contractor will keep a RED LIGHT on works as a danger signal.

By order Board of Directors.

F. W. SMITH, Chief Engineer. je2:c76

Dissolution of Copartnership.

The copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned and Geo. C. Warner in the General Mining and vending of Coal, under the firm name of HUNTSMAN, MILLER & CO., has been dissolved by the purchase of Geo. C. Warner's interest in said firm, to take effect from May 1, 1874. E. N. Huntsman, J. L. Miller and Henry Irwin, Jr., will continue the business under old firm name, who will collect all moneys and assets of said firm, and pay all debts against the same. Office of the company: No. 1 Marion avenue, Allegheny, Pa.

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SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THE erection of a SCHOOL BUILDING in the First ward, Allegheny, will be received till JUNE 15th, 1874, at the office of Dr. JOHN HAMILTON, President of the Board, No. 18 Ohio street. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of A. PEEBLES, Architect, corner of Sixth avenue and Liberty street, Pittsburgh. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

JOHN HAMILTON, President.
A. F. MARTHENS, Secretary. my29:c5-MWF

SPECIAL NOTICES.

PRESIDENT'S OFFICE,
PITTSBURGH, May 29th, 1874.

NOTICE

TO CREDITORS OF THE

Allegheny Valley R. R. Co.

In consequence of the inability of certain of the large creditors to be represented at the meeting on Tuesday next, of which I have been advised, it is deemed desirable to postpone the meeting called for that day until

Tuesday, the 16th Day of June, 1874,

At 2 o'clock P. M., by which time we expect to have all the data relating to the Company, including its business, from the beginning of the year until the first of June, in shape to present to those interested.

JOHN SCOTT, President. my30

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF GAS AND GAS METERS FOR ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

DESIRING THAT THE PUBLIC should more generally avail themselves of the advantages of this office, I would give notice to persons desiring to have their meters tested to leave their orders at the offices of their respective Gas Companies, or at my office, corner of Twenty-third and Smallman streets, and they shall receive prompt attention.

R. H. SMITH, Inspector.

TO MILLINERS AND DEALERS.

JOS. HORNE & CO.,

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 1874.

BONDS at Frankfort 98⅜.

PETROLEUM at Antwerp 28¼f.

GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 113⅞.

THE Cleveland *Herald* has followed in the wake of the *Leader* of that city and adopted the quarto form.

HON. JAMES SILL, of Erie county, is strongly recommended for Lieutenant Governor by leading Republicans of the oil region.

THE Schuylkill county delegates to the Republican State Convention are instructed to support Surveyor General Brath for nomination as Secretary of Internal Affairs.

GEN. B. H. BRISTOW, just nominated by the President as Secretary of the Treasury, is an alumnus of Washington and Jefferson College, of Jefferson's class, of 1851.

ROCHEFORT will lecture in New York during his stay there, on France, since the downfall of the Empire. Could he be induced to write a book, in the same racy, piquant style of his communication to the press, it would sell.

THE nomination of General Bristow as Secretary of the Treasury, has made a favorable impression on the Senate, and his confirmation will be readily accorded. He filled the position of District Attorney in Kentucky for a number of years, and was made Solicitor General at Washington when that office was first created. He is a gentleman of fine ability, of marked integrity of character, and has occupied, since he retired from the Solicitor Generalship, a position of responsibility in the Southern Pacific Railroad. It is admitted that he will bring large ability and pure character to the duties of the position, and that he will give every proper attention to the trust committed to him. Whether his lack of experience in purely financial matters will militate against his success remains to be seen. He will enter upon his duties with the cordial good will of the people, and of those in official position in and around Washington. That he will reform the department by weeding out such as are of doubtful probity seems to be generally conceded.

RAILROAD AND EXPRESS COMPANIES having made complaint that the Government was permitting the mails to be used to transport merchandise at low rates, to their serious detriment, an investigation of the subject has been made covering a period of thirty days. The result is, the discovery that in every one hundred (100) pounds of mail forwarded, there is about one (1) pound of bound books, *one (1) pound of merchandise*, seeds, bulbs, &c., twelve pounds of transient newspapers, circulars, and the other articles besides those mentioned above which constitute the third class of mail matter, or about fourteen (14) pounds in all, of this class Seventy-seven (77) pounds of second class matter, or of periodicals sent to regular subscribers; and nine (9) pounds of letters or matter under letter postage. This plainly shows that it is not merchandise that is overloading the mails, but it does show that printed matter constitutes ninety (90) pounds in the one hundred, (100) entailing upon the Postoffice Department at least seventy-five (75) per cent. of its expenses, while it yields about five (5) per cent. of its revenue. The receipts from letter postage in the year ending June 30, 1873, was $20,324,817.50, against $1,072,998.19 from newspapers and periodicals to regular subscribers—or from the latter was derived only $1 in every $20. This ought to effectually silence that complaint.

NEW YORK VS. PITTSBURGH.

Very naturally, the New York press makes war on the views and resolutions of the ironmasters, in session at Philadelphia. The interests, and hence the views, of New York differ radically from those of Pittsburgh. New York is an importing point, a money-gathering and money-loaning centre, and the focus of stock gambling operations. Very naturally, it desires a condition of affairs that will lead to larger imports, as this increases its importance as a port of entry, and incidentally enlarges the scope of its business. It prefers to have the finances of the country so manipulated that it may loan its money at a large figure, and have gold for business purposes. Experience has shown also, that at such times as we have referred to—free imports and little money, there are apt to be wide fluctuations in stocks, and hence much gambling. Such is the basis of New York's prosperity, and the views of its journals are attuned to this condition of things. Pittsburgh is a manufacturing centre, where wealth is evolved by sturdy labor, and steady industry. It needs a market that will not greatly fluctuate in its rates, money sufficiently plentiful to enable it to carry forward its great manufacturing operations, without paying an undue rate of interest. To this end it also finds occasion to sympathize with the development of the material resources of the country, of which the great trunk lines to the Pacific are chief. A simple statement of the case shows which of these views it is the best interest of the country to develop. The New York press assume that all this implies a pauperism on the Government. We answer, not so. The Pacific Railroads ask no subsidy nor aid,—other than an endorsement of bonds in return for valuable lands fully worth all that is asked by way of endorsement. Our people only ask that attention to their interests that the New Yorkers ask for theirs. Our interests happen to be unlike; but in asking that ours be considered, we are less paupers than is New York, which asks what its interests demand, and seek to have the Government give it. Yet when the return benefit is called for,—it offers the pandemonium of its gambling hells, while Pittsburgh gives the solid manufactures which form a part of the wealth of the country. Ours is the honest and manly claim.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY.

The deferment of the time of meeting of the creditors of the Allegheny Valley Railroad, while probably occasioned in part by the death of Mr. Thomson, also seems to involve the idea that some difficulty is experienced, in fully gathering up the accounts, and providing the plan of settlement. We do not, of course, object to any reasonable delay,—but that the Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania creditors should be dealt with in an entirely honorable manner, is one of the facts that we must earnestly insist upon. We would be glad, indeed, to see this road retain all the prominence that belongs to it as a trunk line, and not see it made tributary and subsidiary to any other line whatever. Were the Allegheny Valley road operated on its own basis, and allowed to control its own business, being credited with its full earnings and charged with its expenses, we are fully persuaded that the time is at hand when it would not only be a solvent, but a dividend-paying road. It has labored under peculiar disadvantages for six months past especially, and to some extent, for several years. The policy heretofore pursued has been to make it a trunk line, with Buffalo as an objective point in one direction, and the great cities of the East in another.

The purchase or lease of the Allegheny River, and other roads was designed to contribute toward the Brocton outlet. Large tracts of coal land, involving, it has been declared, thick veins of the very best quality of coal, which can be readily mined and sold at Buffalo at large profit. A thousand tons a day, it has been stated, would be readily taken. Add to this the low grade road, by which heavy grades are avoided, in reaching Eastern cities, and freight transported cheaply, and we have the reason for large expenditures, all of which have added very greatly to the value of the road. In these expenditures and improvements, the favorable judgment of our business men was enlisted, and credits were freely given for material and labor furnished, in the expectation that these accounts would be settled in due time, and that no special difficulty would be experienced. We have no expectation, even now, that anything else than this will be done. There are those among the creditors who are nervous and fearful; but we have given what we received in good faith, the assurance that at the meeting of creditors satisfactory propositions would be brought forward, and the claims ultimately settled in full. Any other policy than this would be so manifestly suicidal, and the injury to the road, and all involved in its management, so serious, that we are very confident that what we have suggested will be certainly done.

ROCHEFORT'S REVELATIONS.

The letter of Rochefort, published in the New York *Herald*, is a remarkable production, both as to style and matter. It contains an inside history of the suppression of the Commune, by the Versailles party, and an account of the excesses perpetrated on the miserable Communists, when the victory over them was gained. His style is very Frenchy, and abounds in those nicely turned sentences, which form the peculiar grace of French writing. But as an indictment of the Government in France, both under Thiers and MacMahon, it is terrible. We have no means of verifying the statements made, and cannot, of course, accept all,—as here and there, it is obvious that the effort is being made to apologize for the Commune, and to bitterly denounce the Government. Yet putting all this aside, and admit only so much of what he says as bears internal evidence of being true, and we have a terrible series of revelations, which stamp the French of to-day as being a blood thirsty, vengeful race, as ready for deeds of blood as in the worst days of the earlier revolution. Of what immediately followed the downfall of the Commune, he writes:

"During eight days a sinister sound filled the Labau barracks," wrote the immortal author of "L'Annee Terrible." Hundreds of prisoners were taken in chains and placed before the mitrailleuses and blown to pieces. At the Buttes Chaumont the ignoble Galifet caused the National Guard to dig immense graves, at the sides of which he grouped entire battalions, whom he fired on till they fell in these improvised tombs. One of our companions of captivity in the casemates of Fort Boyard was a brave republican, who had been badly slaughtered, and waited for the advent of night to crawl out from among the cadavres with which he was surrounded, and to gain a place of retreat, from which he was not taken till several months afterwards.

I saw every day for one year, walking in the court-yard of the citadel of St. Martin de Re, a young man whose name and profession I could never learn. He was walking constantly, his eyes wide open and fixed on something horrible, absolutely silent and forgetting the meals which his comrades served him, and which he took mechanically and without leaving his frightful contemplation. This unfortunate was one of the rare prisoners who, taken to throw the dead into the carts, had escaped by a miracle, or rather by the fatigue of the assassins, from the end which awaited him.

Another, as a consequence of this lugubrious work, had not fallen into insanity like the other, but in the midst of the most unimportant conversation he would become ill all at once, and would precipitately and several times pass his hands all along his body, as if to make the blood run off, which he thought was perpetually dropping on his clothes.

He furnishes instances to prove that those charged with the administration of military justice used their power to wreak vengeance on those they personally disliked. A wild rage against those who served in the national guard also existed, and this led to the condemnation of many, guilty of no other crime than that of serving with the guard in the defense of the country. Impossible sentences were meted out—as that of a man condemned to transportation for life, *and to five years surveillance*—the latter at the close of the first. The Court of Pardons, so-called, was the most peculiar institution developed at the downfall of the Commune:

This institution, which was of a stripe with the court martial, was nothing but a decoy or trap held out to the misery of the prisoners. In the different prisons in which we have swept away vermin the chiefs of the place have always held out in roseate hues the advisability of making an appeal for pardon. A letter, not even showing any signs of repentance, but simply one of excuse, should have sufficed to obtain for the prisoners permission to return to their homes and their labor. All, or nearly all, refused for a long time any compromise with their honor; but then came the solicitations of wives and mothers, the recital of sufferings of children, thrown almost naked into the streets and starving by the landlords who had failed to receive their rent. Hearing this, the prisoners thought the lives of so many loved ones were surely worth making an effort to save, and from what they had heard they looked forward with certitude to the successful result of their application. Some of the men decided for these reasons, not for their own sakes, but for those dear to them, and when the Commission of Pardons had received these supplications, given under these conditions, they joyfully refused the prisoner any commutation of his sentence; and ordered that it should be carried out to the foot of the law.

Many peculiarly distressing cases are given to illustrate the heartlessness and ferocity of this tribunal. And yet in contrast with this is the case of a young actress, whose smiles secured the pardon of one condemned. This Court was specially charged with the duty of indicating who should be transported. Ship after ship was loaded and sent to New Caledonia,—as many as six hundred and eighty being put on one vessel, with salt lard and biscuit for nourishment, on a five months' voyage. As a result, many died of scorbutic diseases, and two-thirds of the entire list were landed in an emaciated and diseased condition. New Caledonia he found under the rule of a Governor, Richerie, whom he describes as a "galley's crew keeper," and an autocrat among the prisoners. No occupation is furnished the prisoners, the island is devoid of fertility, and the place maintained at a cost of $15,000,000 a year to the French treasury.

The most remarkable revelation of affairs at New Caledonia is that the slave trade is carried on there in a systematic manner, and as a regular business. The slaves range in price as low as $40 to $50 each. The appearance of legality is given to the business by an apprentice system, but it is known as but a thin disguise of the real purpose. The slaves are brought from Fiji, and are decoyed on board vessels regularly engaged in the trade. The allusion to MacMahon, with which the article closes, is peculiarly bitter and severe. He says:

This French people—so delicate, so nervous, so impressionable—what chief did the vote of an expiring Assembly give them? An old soldier of Africa, who knows of our country but what he learned in the hencoops of Algeria, where he expended forty years of his life; a leader of Bedouins, who imagined himself in an Arab bureau, and treated our imprescriptable rights as if the Government of France was a Kabylie expedition.

And that antiquated mustache has the pretension to hold us seven years under the sword hilt, and this exotic product imagines himself to be other than a momentary shield against dissolution! Happily the shield will again return to its panoply; for the final dissolution approaches, and the dissolution is the definite avowment of the Republic. The Church wardens and the Pontifical Zouaves do well to shake in the distance the white feather of Henry IV., who will refuse to join himself to it; to commence with Henry IV., who remains all the longer candidate to the crown that he may find pretexts for putting it away from his head. I suspect this monarch *in partibus* of possessing much better than his counsellors the sense of the situation. I have reason to believe that he prefers—and I felicitate him upon it—the royalty of name which he enjoys a long time to the royalty of fact of which they would dispossess so quickly if he committed the fault to accept it.

The letter develops boldness, grasp, and even the strength of statesmanship, but all this in conjunction with a destructive bitterness that has formed a prominent feature of his character. It indicates more mental power than he has usually been credited with in this country. He severely condemns the murder of Archbishop Darboy by the Communists, and evidently has in him the elements of a hero, viewed from the Communist standpoint.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

CALIFORNIA has 2,000,000 acres sown with wheat this season.

THE Chicago journals complain of the stagnation in the real estate market and the great fall in values.

CHAS. CALLENDER, the ex-Bank Examiner of New York, has given bail in $15,000 to appear for a third trial when called upon.

MEMPHIS sends an exultant telegram that she has received her first shipment of new wheat, and that Mississippi is the first with the harvest.

THE body of a boy who was drowned in the Mill River disaster has been recovered by laborers digging for buried machinery near Florence. The bodies of only four of the known victims remain undiscovered.

THE steamship Faraday, with the new Atlantic cable, arrived at Berry Head on Saturday, and landed the shore end of the cable Sunday morning, and proceeded to Rye Beach, New Hampshire, the same afternoon.

THE trial of the New York Police Commissioners, Oliver Charlick and Hugh Gardner, indicted for violations of the election law, has been fixed for Monday, the 15th inst. They have given bail in the amount of $4,000 each.

A FOOLISH woman in New York, who has expended $5,250 in lottery tickets, without having obtained a solitary prize, has now brought suit against the agent of whom she bought the tickets for the amount of her investment.

PRESIDENT GRANT, accompanied by Secretaries Fish and Robeson, and Gen. Babcock, were in New York yesterday, for the purpose of attending the ceremonies of laying the corner stone of the Museum of Natural History in Central Park.

A DISPATCH from Helena, Ark., says: Robert Reed, a notorious desperado, formerly keeper of a low groggery and latterly proprietor of a hotel there, was shot and killed by his partner, Elisha W. Cannon, on Monday morning. Cannon escaped.

AN engagement in Lancaster has been abruptly broken off. The gentleman saw one of his sweetheart's stockings floating from a clothes line, and the dilapidated condition of its extremities caused an immediate revulsion of feeling on his part. The lady always darns her stockings now before washing them.

SOME unknown person, for an undiscovered cause, draped a church in mourning, at Oshkosh, recently. All the available places in the interior of the building were draped with black crape, put on in a very artistic and workmanlike manner. The congregation have vainly tried to discover the author of this harmless freak.

PORTLAND is the latest victim of those uncomfortable beings who pop up with title deeds, a century old or more, to claim large sections right in the heart of populous cities. A Miss Skillings notifies the occupants of some seven acres of the best part of that town that she owns the property whereon they are engaged in doing business.

THE Czar is about forty-eight years old; he is six feet high; he has light whiskers and mustache, with a clean shaven chin; his hair is cut short; his complexion is fair, and he has a good color. He is strongly built, without being fat. He is the very picture of a fine soldier. In his manner he is very courteous and easy. He speaks English with perfect fluency and ease.

THE United States Brewers' Association, which is to meet in Boston on to-morrow, will endeavor to form an anti-temperance party, the initial work thus far planned being the organization of leagues of freedom throughout the country. An address is promulgated, in which the necessity for opposition to the temperance movement, especially that which takes the form of the women's crusade, is vehemently urged.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE seems to have sprung into wonderful favor in the United States Senate, all of a sudden, where it is proposed to try the experiment away out in a proposed new Territory, on the borders of Dakota, where there are hardly any women to exercise the right, and where its failure or success would prove nothing as to its expediency in an older and more complicated state of society. Shrewd Congressmen!

SEVERAL exchanges are already afflicted with watering-place correspondence. Each letter breathes a puff and prayer for another week's board.

"THE squirrel chatters merrily,
The nut falls ripe and brown,
And, jem-like, from the jewelled tree
The leaf comes fluttering down.
And, restless in his plumage gay,
From bush to bush, loud screams the jay."

ONE of the latest competitive trials of skill was a bread making match at a female seminary in Hartford. Four experienced matrons and a professor of chemistry were the judges. While the polite accomplishments should not be totally neglected, it is possible that to the average American girl a knowledge of how to make bread will be of more solid advantage after the serious duties of life begin, than many of the things they waste time in imperfectly learning.

THE new oratorio, "Jesus Christ," so successfully presented in Berlin, is in three parts, with six principal scenes. The Entry of the Saviour into Jerusalem and the Last Supper form the first part; the Denial of Peter, Christ before the Grand Pontiff and before Pilate, and the Crucifixion, the second part; and the final one is devoted to the Resurrection of Jesus. The characters in the score are Christ, the Grand Pontiff, Pilate, Peter, Judas, Thomas, the two Marys, a Pharisee, an Angel, two servants, the two thieves, the Disciples and the People.

THE devices to avoid the penalties for violating the license laws in the various Western States are ingenious. In Michigan clubs are formed, the members of which can find entrance to the saloons and obtaining a drop of comfort by presenting tickets. In Indiana two-ounce vials are filled and their contents eagerly drank "off the premises," while in Chicago a drink is being put up which is called the "crusade beverage," or "morning dew," and which is guaranteed to floor a man in fifteen minutes by the watch. Necessity is certainly the mother of invention.

Now that we are talking and discussing modern marriages, let us see how our grandmothers dressed themselves. In 1770 a lady, the wife of a Governor of Pennsylvania, who had to get her luxuries from England—indeed, they had few or no manufactures in Philadelphia then—ordered her fineries as follows: "A fine domestic cloth for 21 shillings, a neat fan of leather mount for 25 shillings, needles Nos. 5 to 10, four pairs of black calma shoes, eight dozen cap wires, and a handsome spring silk." The list also included the sending of a gown to be dyed over, of any color which would take best.

THE decision by the Supreme Court in New York that the woman whom Brinckley had called his wife, without a formal marriage, is legally such, confirms the previous judgment in his case, and accords with the decisions in numerous similar cases. The defendant is a rich young man, who met the plaintiff, the daughter of an actor, soon after her education was completed, and by various representations induced her to live with him as his wife without a public marriage. Finally, tired of her, he attempted to cast her off, and ruin her character. The story has a moral.

MR. JEFF. THOMPSON, Chief State Engineer of Louisiana, has discovered that three hundred miles of levees must be restored and strengthened to protect the best lands of the State from the floods next spring. The State tax will not cover one-third of the necessary expenses. The General Government is asked to "give its mighty aid." The trouble is that the money that should be spent on the Louisiana levees is stolen. The appropriation of the General Government would not, we believe, form an exception to this general rule. The thieves break through and steal, and so the river breaks through and destroys.

IT is reported that Gov. Dix finds it necessary to break the dead-lock in the Treasury by the removal of Treasurer Raines, on the ostensible ground of neglect of duty. The later accounts from the Utica Asylum are not encouraging as to the Treasurer's condition, and it is imperative that the business of the Treasury should have a head. There will be the sincerest sympathy felt for the Treasurer, and we may be sure that Governor Dix will take pains, in any official action he may find necessary in the premises, to show how clear Mr. Raine's record is, and to make plain that only the sad visitation of Providence under which he suffers has enforced the change.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

THE United States war vessel Gettysburg arrived at the Brooklyn navy yard on Monday, with instruments and appliances for the scientific corps engaged to make observations of the transit of Venus. Everything was speedily transferred to the Swatara. The stores contain five sets of houses and tents, besides scientific instruments, which include five splendid clocks, each worth nearly $1,400. The value of material is said to be about $50,000. The officers of the Swatara laugh at the scientific gentlemen who, among the outfit for the expedition, have supplied sectional houses for Hobart Town, a place of 80,000 inhabitants. The scientific party, numbering twenty-six in all, are ordered on board the Swartara to-day.

THERE recently occurred off the coast of Africa an exciting slave chase and capture. On March 13th the British ship Daphne sighted a dhow standing in for the land, and after a chase of more than three hours she succeeded in bringing her to, but not until eight or ten shots had been fired, the last two of which struck the water within a few feet of her. She proved to be a large dhow of upwards of two hundred tons, and at the time of capture had two hundred and thirty slaves and forty others, consisting of the guard, crew and slaveowners, on board. She had sailed from a town within twenty miles of Mozambique eight days previously, and having lost thirty slaves on the passage, she must have had no less than three hundred souls on board at the time of her departure.

A PRIVATE letter to the friends of one of the American students at Lausanne, Switzerland, gives some details of the accident by which three American students lost their lives at that place. One of the Crane brothers was found sitting upright in the boat, nearly submerged, wrapped in the sail and frozen stiff, his hands clutching the sides of the boat so hard that the skin was torn from his fingers. As the two days intervening between the departure of the boys and the discovery of this body had been stormy and cold, it is supposed that the boys discovered the approach of the storm, and on attempting to lower the sail the smaller of the Crane brothers fell overboard, and that William Woodbury, who was an excellent swimmer, sprang overboard to save him, but that both were drowned. The remaining boy, it is supposed, wrapped himself in the sail for protection, but became drenched and froze to death in the long continued storm.

Mr. Cooley's Hat.

When Mr. Cooley came into church last Sunday, he placed his new high hat just outside the pew in the aisle. Presently Mrs. Pitman entered, and as she proceeded up the aisle, her abounding skirts scooped Cooley's hat and rolled it up nearly to the pulpit. Cooley pursued his hat with feelings of indignation, and when Mrs. Pitman took her seat, he walked back brushing the hat with his sleeve. A few moments later, Mrs. Hopkins came into church, and as Cooley had again placed his hat in the aisle, Mrs. Hopkins' skirts struck it and swept it along about twenty feet, and left it lying on the carpet in a demoralized condition. Cooley was singing a hymn at the time, and he didn't miss it. But a moment later, when he looked over the end of the pew to see if it was safe, he was furious to perceive that it was gone. He skirmished up the aisle after it again, red in the face, and uttering sentences which were horribly out of place in the sanctuary. However, he put the hat down again and determined to keep his eye on it, but just as he had turned his head away for a moment, Mrs. Smiley came in, and Cooley looked around only in time to watch the hat being gathered in under Mrs. Smiley's skirts and carried away by them. He started in pursuit, and just as he did so the hat must have rolled against Mrs. Smiley's ankles, for she gave a jump and screamed right out in church. When her husband asked her what was the matter, she said there must be a dog under her dress, and she gave her skirts a twist. Out rolled Cooley's hat, and Mr. Smiley, being very near-sighted, thought it was a dog, and immediately kicked it so savagely that it flew up into the gallery and lodged upon the top of the organ. Cooley, perfectly frantic with rage, forgot where he was, and, holding his clinched fist under Smiley's nose, he shrieked: "I've half a mind to bust you over the snoot!" Then he flung down his hymn-book and rushed from the church. He went home bareheaded, and the sexton brought his humiliating hat around after dinner. After this, Cooley intends to go to Quaker meeting, where he can say his prayers with his hat on his head.—*Max Adeler.*

A QUAINT LITTLE DITTY.

Sun comes, moon comes,
Time slips away;
Sun sets, moon sets,
Love, fix a day.

A year hence, a year hence,
We shall both be gray;
A month hence, a month hence,
Far, far away.

A week hence, a week hence,
And that's a long delay.
Wait a little, wait a little,
You shall fix the day.

To-morrow, love, to-morrow,
And that's an age away!
Blaze upon her windows, sun,
And honor all the day.

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Some decided bargains in Table Linens, lowest to finest grades.
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Special attention is respectfully invited to the great bargains which recent and large purchases now enable us to offer.
Goods delivered promptly anywhere in Pittsburgh or Allegheny.

Hats and Bonnets,
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OUR USUALLY LARGE
Ribbon Stock
Has been largely increased during the past week and will now be found to embrace some great attractions in prices, styles and shades.
Roman Sash Ribbons.
Plaid and Check Sash Ribbons, with Lace Covering.
Fancy Roman Stripe Ribbons.
Beautiful Shades Watered Ribbons, all widths to match.
All Colors Gros Grain Ribbons.
All Colors Styles in Windsor Ties.
We would call especial attention to the great bargain we are now offering in
REAL GENUINE KID GLOVES
In Blacks and full line of colors, at $1 per pair, Two Buttons.
New shapes in Hats and Bonnets.
Neopolitan and Leghorn Hats and Bonnets.
Large stock and beautiful assortment of fine
FRENCH FLOWERS
Beaded Crowns and Coronets.
Bead Fringes and Gimps.
Cut Jet Beads, &c.
Black Lace Sashes.
Spanish and Beaded Net.
Jap. Linen and Silk Fans.
A splendid assortment of
Parasols
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Every variety of Styles, Materials and Handles.
Real and Imitation Hair Switches and Hair Goods.
Some extra bargains in new and latest novelties.

MERCHANTS,
MILLINERS,
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Will find complete assortments of
New Style Prints,
Muslins and Sheetings,
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New Dress Goods,
Cassimeres, Jeans, &c.,
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Trimming Silks,
Notions of every Description
Hosiery and Gloves,
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RETAIL,
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LARGE ARRIVAL OF
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This Week.
Full Stock in Every Department.
Embroidered and Beaded Hernani Polonaise Patterns.
Beaded Yak, Llama, Spanish and Brussels Nett Sleeveless Jackets.
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Fine Shirts, Ready or Made to measure.
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Just received, everything new and desirable in
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In great variety at
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MAY, 1874.
We have just added to our stock the
Newest Designs!
Of this season, many that have not been shown till this month.
PRICES THE LOWEST
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REMOVAL.
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Have removed temporarily to No. 51 Sixth street.
WILL OPEN
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NOTICE.
The EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK will occupy the new Banking House, on Fifth avenue, for the transaction of business, MONDAY NEXT, June 1st.
my29:c5 ANDREW LONG, Cashier.

REMOVAL.
The Commercial Banking Co.
Have removed to their new office, at north-west corner of Smithfield street and Third avenue.
May 26th, 1874. my26:b33

REMOVAL—
The People's Savings Bank of Pittsburgh has removed to its own building, No. 81 FOURTH AVENUE, next below the Safe Deposit Company.
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ONE PRICE CASH STORE.
OUR NEW SYSTEM.
RETAILING FOR CASH
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A GREAT SUCCESS.
"One dollar saved is one dollar made." With $3 you can buy $4 worth of many kinds of goods, and in other lines of goods $4 will buy as much as $5 did under the old system.
$1.20 per dozen, ladies' ribbed cotton hose, 10c per pair.
$2.00 per dozen, ladies' extra long cotton hose, 17c per pair.
$27.00 per dozen, men's fine white shirts, $2.25 each.
$16.00 per dozen, ladies' French embroidered corsets, $1.33½ per pair.
$2.25 per dozen, white tinsel fans (old price 75c), 27c each.
$11.50 per dozen, ladies' kids, all sizes and colors, 96c per pair.
$17.50 per dozen, gents' kids (new shades), $1.46 per pair.
$3.00 per dozen, Colgate's bouquet soap, 25c per cake.
75c per dozen, Colgate's Windsor honey soap or glycerine, 7c per cake.
35c per pack, American pins (280), 3c per paper.
30c per gross, Fletcher's 4-4 shoe laces, 3c per dozen.
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Call and see our fancy embroideries, hosiery, notions, trimmings, corsets, skirts, &c., in great variety, at low prices. Open on Saturday evening until 9 o'clock.
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JOHN A. RENSHAW & CO.,
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Hardware
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All of our goods are made to special order, and warranted in every respect.
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LEGAL.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—LETTERS of Administration on the estate of DAVID NEASE, deceased, late of Allegheny City, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement, to
H. B. NEASE, Administrator,
Main street, Thirty-fourth ward, Pittsburgh.
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EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—LETTERS testamentary to the estate of J. G. Comstock, Esq., late of Sharpsburg, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned. Persons having claims against the estate will present them forthwith, and those indebted to the estate will make payment immediately to the undersigned at Sharpsburg, Pa.
H. F. DUNHAM,
ma19-235-W LETITIA COMSTOCK.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLYING STATIONERY, Fuel, distributing Journals, Department Report, &c., repairing and furnishing Hall and Committee Rooms of the House of Representatives at Harrisburgh.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
HARRISBURG, June 1, 1874.

In pursuance of an act of the General Assembly by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, approved the 16th day of March, A. D. 1874, the undersigned will receive sealed proposals up to 12 M. of the 10th day June, A. D. 1874, for supplying stationery for the use of the House of Representatives for the year ending first Monday of June, A. D. 1874.

The proposals to be opened at Harrisburg, and the contract awarded to the lowest responsible bidder at a per centum under the maximum prices set forth in the annexed schedule, on the 16th day of June, A. D. 1874.

The successful bidder, or bidders, shall, before entering upon the performance of his or their contract (which shall have been approved by the Governor, Auditor General and State Treasurer), give a bond with sufficient security on such terms as may be prescribed by the Attorney General for the faithful performance of the obligations of such contract.

All contracts awarded and approved, and all bonds given for their faithful performance, shall be filed with the Secretary of the Commonwealth; stationery to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as the Chief Clerk may designate, at no additional expense to the Commonwealth.

Bidders will forward samples of paper and stationery to the office of the Resident Clerk of House of Representatives, at Harrisburg, on or before 10th day of June, A. D. 1874.

Proposals to be endorsed, "Proposals for stationery for use of the House of Representatives."

100 reams bill paper, one red line, blue ruling (24 lbs.) per ream	$ 12 00
100 reams journal paper, blue ruling (24 lbs.) per ream	12 00
125 reams foolscap paper, blue ruling (12 lbs.) per ream	7 00
150 reams letter paper, blue ruling (12 lbs.) per ream	6 50
200 reams commercial note paper, blue ruling (6 lbs.) per ream	3 00
100 reams envelope paper, (40 lbs.) per ream	10 00
50 reams manilla wrapping paper, (60 lbs.) per ream	12 00
200 reams cap manilla paper, per ream	40
3 gross blotting boards, (100 lbs.) per gross	14 00
100 reams legal cap paper, (24 lbs.) per ream	12 00
150 pounds twine, assorted size, per lb.	70
25 dozen spool tape, per dozen	11 00
25 dozen bolts of the best linen tape, extra heavy, per dozen	1 50
150 spools spool silk ribbon, assorted colors, per 100	50 00
25 pounds sealing wax (10 to lb.) per pound	2 00
25 dozen 4 ounce carmine ink, glass stoppers, per dozen	5 00
2 dozen eyelet punches, per dozen	32 00
25 boxes eyelets, per box	35
20 boxes paper fasteners, per box	30
20 gross Faber's lead pencils, round, gilt, per gross	9 00
10 gross red and blue pencils, per dozen	1 00
400 gross steel pens, assorted, per gross	1 00
2 dozen gum rulers, 14-16-18 inches, per dozen	$9-$12-$15
2 dozen box-wood rulers, 16-18-24 inches, per dozen	$8-$10-$12
3 dozen paper shears, best steel, imported, 8-12 16 inches, per dozen	$18-$31-$48
20 dozen pocket scissors, best imported, 5 inches, per dozen	$9 00
5 dozen bill hooks, per dozen	1 50
25 dozen bill files, U. S. standard, per dozen	6 00
25 gross pen holders, per gross	4 00
20 dozen gum pen holders, Nos. 3 4, per dozen	4 00
125 gross gum bands, assorted, per gross	75
25 dozen inkstands, screw top, No. 1 per dozen	125
5 dozen inkstands, assorted, per dozen	4 00
5 pounds red wafers, per pound	1 00
20 dozen Morgan's mucilage stands, with brushes, per dozen	21 00
6 dozen, quarts, mucilage stands, best, per dozen	15 00
2 dozen pounce boxes, wood or bone, per dozen	3 00
25 bottles pounce, per dozen	3 00
3 dozen tin enameled paper cutters, per dozen	1 00
20 dozen paper folders, ivory, per dozen	6 00
20 dozen desk pads, 14 by 16, interlined blotters, per dozen	9 00
20 dozen letter clips, brass and bronze per dozen	4 00
20 dozen spiral pen racks, per dozen	4 25
300 quills, per 100	6 00
20 dozen boxes of quill pens, per dozen	9 00
20 dozen pencil sharpeners, per dozen	1 50
20 dozen steel erasers, per dozen	6 00
20 pounds gum eraser, pencil, per pound	1 00
20 pounds gum eraser, ink, per pound	1 25
75,000 letter envelopes, No. 5-6, per 1,000	$4 50-$5 00
10,000 legal envelopes, of the best quality, No. 9-10-11-12, per 1,000, $8-$8 25-$9 50-$10 50	
2 dozen ruling pens, per dozen	9 00
6 dozen paper weights per dozen	9 00
2 dozen bibles, small, per dozen	6 00
10 gross cut heavy blue paste-boards, for flies, per gross	5 00
1,250 pair file sticks, per pair	10
225 8-vo. demi blank books, faints, leather cover, per dozen	4 75
225 demi quarto, half bound, faints, two quires each, per dozen	6 00
12 dozen quarts Arnold's writing fluid per dozen	9 00
24 dozen quarts Arnold's writing fluid per dozen	6 00
12 dozen quarts black ink, per dozen	6 00
2 dozen paste brushes, per dozen	3 50
2 dozen comb and hair brushes, per dozen	18 00
20 dozen Moore's blotting pads, per dozen	6 00
20 dozen paper knives (ivory), per dozen	3 00
20 dozen pencil point protectors, per dozen	25
1 dozen cork screws (rubber), per dozen	9 00
20 dozen pencil heads, per dozen	50
20 dozen memorandum books, per dozen	2 00
20 dozen key chains, per dozen	1 00

The foregoing articles are to be furnished in such quantities more or less than is herein specified, and at such times as may be required by the Chief Clerk.

Also, at the same time and place, proposals will be received for furnishing fuel for the House of Representatives, in accordance with the schedule annexed.

Proposals to be endorsed—"Proposals for fuel for House of Representatives."

(125) One hundred and twenty-five tons Wilkesbarre egg coal, delivered in the cellar of the House of Representatives.

Maximum price (7) seven dollars per ton.

(50) Fifty cords good dry hickory wood, delivered in the cellar of the House of Representatives.

Maximum price (9) nine dollars per cord.

(50) Fifty barrels of charcoal, delivered in the cellar of the House of Representatives.

Maximum price (60) sixty cents per barrel.

Also, at the same time and place, proposals will be received for distributing Journals and Department reports, and other printed matter furnished for the use of Members and Officers the House of Representatives.

Proposals to be endorsed—"Proposals for distributing Journals, &c., &c., House of Representatives."

Maximum price per year $5,000

Also, at the same time and place, proposals will be received for furnishing the Hall and Committee Rooms of the House of Representatives, as per schedule annexed.

Proposals to be endorsed,

"Proposals for furnishing House of Representatives and Committee Rooms."

(208) Two hundred and eight desks, 2 ft. 6 in. long, similar to those in use in the of Hall of the House of Representatives at Washington, D. C.; a diagram of which can be seen in the office of the Chief Clerk, House of Representatives, Harrisburg.

Maximum price per desk $35

(208) Two hundred and chairs, similar to those in use in the Hall of the House of Representatives at Washington, D. C.

Maximum price per chair $18 00

— lbs of brass for fastening desks, chairs and carpet edgings in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

Maximum price per lb.

(1,000) One thousand yards, more or less of body Brussels carpet.

Maximum price per yard $3 00

(1,500) Fifteen hundred yards, more or less, of paper carpet lining.

Maximum price per yard .... 15 cts.

(200) Two hundred yards, more or less, of Wilton carpet.

Maximum price per yard $4 50

(12) Twelve Wilton rugs, 60 by 33 inches.

Maximum price per piece $15 00

(2) Two Wilton rugs, 72 by 36 inches.

Maximum price per piece $25 00

(5) Five Cocoa mats, 60 by 33 inches.

Maximum price per piece $30 00

(24) Twenty-four Cocoa mats, about 18 by 30 inches.

Maximum price per piece .... $ 3 00

(200) Two hundred square yards, more or less, of oil cloth, to be cut in such sizes as may be required. Maximum price per yard $1 50

The foregoing proposals will include the necessary labor in placing the different articles mentioned above in their proper places in the Hall and Committee Rooms of the House of Representatives, under the supervision of the Chief Clerk.

Also, at the same time and place, proposals will be received for repairs in the Hall and Committee Rooms of the House of Representatives.

Proposals to be endorsed, "Proposals for Repairs, House of Representatives and Committee Rooms." Maximum price per year $1,800

The foregoing proposals will be received by
W. C. SHURLOCK,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.
Directed to care of John A. Smull, Resident Clerk, House of Representatives, Harrisburg, Pa.
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PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR POST-OFFICE ENVELOPES.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29, 1874.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this Department until FRIDAY, the 20th day of June, 1874, at 12 o'clock M., for furnishing, in such quantities and at such times as may be required, the following described post-office envelopes during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1875, to wit:

FOR OFFICIAL LETTERS AND RETURNS.

No. 1—size, 3¼ by 5¼ inches. Estimated number required 7,000,000

No. 2—size, 3½ by 6⅜ inches. Estimated number required 750,000

No. 3—size, 4 by 9 inches. Estimated number required 200,000

No. 4—size, 4½ by 10½ inches. Estimated number required 2,000,000

FOR RETURNING DEAD LETTERS.

Size, 3⅛ by 6⅜ inches. Estimated number required, 2,000,000.

FOR REGISTERED PACKAGES.

Size, 5 by 10½ inches. Estimated number required, 6,000,000.

The estimates given are intended as a guide to bidders. The Department may require more or less of each kind, as the service may demand.

Bids must be made for each kind of envelope (official, dead-letter, and registered package,) *separately*, and the contract will be awarded for each kind to the lowest responsible bidder.

Samples of the different sizes and styles of envelopes required, together with blank forms for bids, will be furnished on application to the Third Assistant Postmaster General.

The envelopes must strictly conform in size, quality of paper, gumming, and make, to the samples, the gumming on the flaps or lappets to be done in the best manner, by hand. The envelopes must be banded in parcels of twenty-five, packed in strong pasteboard or straw boxes, securely bound with linen or cotton cloth on the corners and edges, each to contain not less than 250 of sizes Nos. 1 and 2, and not less than 100 of the other sizes, or otherwise, as may be ordered; the boxes to be wrapped in strong manilla paper and properly sealed, so as to bear safe transportation by mail to postmasters. When required to be delivered at the Department, the wrappings may be dispensed with, in the discretion of the Postmaster General.

When 2,000 or more envelopes are required to fill the order of a postmaster, or when large lots are ordered to be sent to the Post Office Department, they must be packed in strong wooden cases and properly addressed; but when less than 2,000 are required to be sent by mail, proper labels of direction must be placed on each package: all to be done by the contractor without additional charge.

The envelopes must be delivered in such quantities as may from time to time be required to fill the orders of postmasters or of the Department, and be delivered either at the post office in the city where the accepted bidder resides or at this Department, as the Postmaster General may direct, free of cost for packing, labeling, and delivering; the whole to be done under the inspection and supervision of an agent of the Department.

All the envelopes herein described must bear such printing as the Postmaster General may direct, and the registered package envelopes will be required to be printed in vermillion or some other approved brilliant color.

The Postmaster General reserves the right to reject any and all bids, if in his judgment the interests of the Government require it.

Each proposal must be signed by the individual or firm making it, and be accompanied by a guarantee, the responsibility and sufficiency of the signers to which must be certified to by the postmaster or United States attorney where the bidder resides, that the bidder shall, within ten days after being called upon to do so, execute a contract to furnish promptly, and in quantities as ordered, the article or articles awarded to him, to be accompanied by a bond with approved security, in a penalty of not less than twice the contract price of all the articles estimated to be furnished by said bidder, conditioned upon the faithful performance of the same.

Proposals unaccompanied by such guarantee will not be considered.

The Postmaster General reserves to himself the right to annul the contract if in his judgment there shall be a failure to perform faithfully any of its stipulations, or in case of a willful attempt to impose upon the Department envelopes inferior to samples. The failure to comply with any one order under the contract will operate as a forfeiture of the entire penalty of the bond under the 17th section of the act of Congress approved August 26, 1842, entitled "An act legalizing and making appropriations for such necessary objects as have been usually included in the general appropriation bills without authority of law, and to fix and provide for certain incidental expenses of the departments and offices of the Government, and for other purposes," (U. S. Statutes at Large, vol. 5, page 526;) or the Postmaster General may, in his discretion, direct the purchase in market of such quantities of envelopes as shall be necessary to supply the deficiency caused by such failure and charge to the contractor or contractors fifty per centum of the price which it shall be found necessary to pay for such articles.

Bids should be securely enveloped and sealed, marked "Proposals for Post-Office Envelopes," and addressed to the Third Assistant Postmaster General, Post Office Department, Washington, D. C.
JOHN A. J. CRESWELL,
Postmaster General.

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, May 29, 1874.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed Proposals

Will be received at this office until 3 P. M.,

THURSDAY, JUNE 4, 1874,

For the Grading, Paving and Curbing of the following streets:

Fairmount street from Federal to Sandusky streets.
Taylor avenue from Palo Alto to Webster streets.
Strawberry lane from Sarah to Charles streets.
Lindsay alley from Federal to Carroll streets.
Eckert street, from Shady avenue to Shady avenue.
Vinial street, from Troy Hill road to Villa street.
Henderson street, grading and paving and the erection of any stone walls necessary, from Sandusky to Warren streets.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the City Engineer.

The Committee on Streets reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

JAMES BROWN,
my30:c50 Controller.

SEALED PROPOSALS
For the construction of
Sidewalks on Ellsworth Avenue

From Neville street to Penn avenue, will be received at the office of the City Engineer, until JUNE 16TH, 1874.

Bidders must accompany their proposals with Bonds as required by the city, and also, with full specifications of each kind of pavement.

Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids should they deem it best to do so.

DAVID AIKEN, JR.,
ALEX. PITCAIRN,
D. W. C. BIDWELL,
W. H. DENNISTON,
JOHN FERCHMENT,
Commissioners.

JUNE 2, 1874.
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CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL,
PITTSBURGH, May 19, 1874.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until WEDNESDAY, the 3d day of June, 1874, at 3 P. M., for the following work:

GRADING.
Isabella street from Greenfield avenue to R. R. crossing.
Spring street from Barry street to Oak alley.
McCord street from Barry street to McClurg's line.
Paving Duquesne Way from Fourth street to Evans alley.

GRADING AND PAVING.
Chislett alley from Forty-fourth street to Forty-fifth street.

GRADING, PAVING AND CURBING.
Union street from Collins avenue to Brown street.
Maria street from Magee street to line of Stevenson estate.
Edwards alley from Seventeenth street to Eighteenth street.
Bates alley from Locust alley to Willow street.

SEWERS.
3 feet brick on Dinwiddie street from Centre avenue to Fifth avenue.
18 inch pipe on Redoubt alley from Second avenue to Fourth avenue.
18 inch pipe on alley in rear of Fourth avenue from Decatur street to property line of J. F. Miller.

BOARD WALKS.
Neville avenue from New Washington Road to Dill alley.

Plans and specifications and blanks for bidding can be had at this office. No bids will be received after 3 P. M. The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids if they deem it necessary for the interest of the city or the property owners.
A. DEMPSTER,
my19 City Engineer.

FINANCIAL.

FRANKLIN SAVINGS FUND
And Safe Deposit Co.,
Corner 7th Avenue and Smithfield Street.
Incorporated by Legislature of Pennsylvania.

CAPITAL, - - - $250,000.

Interest allowed on Deposits. Short Loans on Valuable Property, Real or Personal. Discounts daily. Open daily from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on Saturdays from 7 to 9 P. M.

JOSEPH M. GAZZAM, President.
SAM'L A. LONG, Vice President and Business Manager.

DIRECTORS.
J. M. Gazzam, And. J. Lee,
J. P. Smith, Geo. M. Reed,
Samuel A. Long, Frank Kohne,
A. J. Douthett.
JOHN G. MacCONNELL, Solicitor.

SHOE AND LEATHER BANK,
14 Smithfield Street,
PITTSBURGH, PA.
CAPITAL, - - $200,000.
GEO. H. ANDERSON, President.
JOHN D. FRASER, Cashier.
Deposits received and 6 Per Cent. Interest allowed on Time Deposits. Particular attention given to Collections and proceeds promptly remitted.

GERMAN NATIONAL BANK.
Cor. Wood Street and Sixth Avenue.
CAPITAL, - - - - - - $250,000
SURPLUS, - - - - - - 127,000
Interest allowed on time deposits.
Exchange on Germany, France, England and Switzerland at lowest rates. Collections made promptly on all parts of the United States and Canadas. Particular attention given to all business of correspondents.
DIRECTORS.—A. Groetzinger, J. F. Havekotte, W. F. Lang, J. C. Dickson, E. H. Meyers, Joseph Laug, Paul Hugus, Christ. Siebert, F. Haberman.
A. GROETZINGER, President.
JOSEPH LAURANT, Cashier.

International Bank,
Corner Liberty and Market Sts.
CAPITAL, $200,000.
Pays Interest on Deposits.
6 Per Cent. per annum upon daily balances—from inactive non-borrowing accounts—payable on demand.
6 Per Cent. per annum on special deposits for 60 days and upwards.
Special agreements relating to interest made.
Notes and Bills Purchased.
W. H. MECHLING, President,
WM. NEEB, Vice President.
F. E. MOORE, Cashier.
DIRECTORS.
John Watt, W. H. Mechling,
Wm. Neeb, M. A. Sanner,
Joseph Wagener, Joseph Graff,
C. H. Love, J. C. Anderson,
W. McKee, C. Schleiper,
James Irvin.

DAILY GAZETTE.

FINANCIAL.

Latest Advices Concerning Money and Stock Matters.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, June 3, 1874.

The clear and moderate weather of yesterday excited a favorable influence on general business, and our streets were active with the evidence of movement of goods. The general report in this direction is that a steady trade is had, but that large orders are not given. The aggregate business reaches a very handsome sum, and were the profits equivalent to the bulk of trade, a feeling of satisfaction would pervade the business community. This is where the trouble comes in. The profits of trade in nearly all its branches, is cut down to a very low figure, and in some branches of the iron trade, is transacted at a positive loss. This is the unfortunate side. In general merchandise, however, there is a profit made, although closer figures are given than in better times.

The demand at our banks, yesterday, was very moderate. The savings banks are just now being drawn upon, but this is only the usual experience of the semi-annual interest paying period.

In Wall street, yesterday, there was a continued decline in the price of stocks, and but moderate activity.

The Conference Committee on the currency question met Saturday at noon in the room of the Senate Committee on Finance. A long discussion of the question ensued, and without taking any action the Committee adjourned to meet on Monday. A pledge of secrecy was exacted from each member of the Committee by the Chairman. It is understood, however, that the conference developed such a difference of opinion among the members as to give no hope of harmonious action to-morrow. At that time Morton will present a bill embodying his and Merrimon's views of what the Senate inflationists can concede. If Blaine succeeds in controlling both Farwell and Maynard, as he probably intended in appointing them, the claims of Morton and Merrimon will not be assented to by them, and Blaine will do all in his power to defeat Morton in this business. The situation of the financial question therefore bids fair to remain unchanged for several days.

Says a San Francisco journal: Where does all the money come from? It is getting to be a drug in this market, and our savings institutions refuse to receive deposits over $5,000, because of the difficulty of placing it so as to realize a fair percentage. Nine per cent. per year on good security and monthly repayable installments is now the rate, but large sums are loaned at 8 per cent., while the commercial banks discount the best business paper for 1 per cent. per month. The country demand is large and well sustained, and our banking institutions are disposed to give it more consideration than usual, provided the security is good. So far as the furnishing of money is concerned, there is ground to believe that the coming harvest will be moved at an early day.

Real estate is likewise feeling the influence of a plethoric money market, and is holding its head up with more determination than for some years past. Capital is seeking investment in a wider field of securities, in its struggle to force itself into active service. Large sums are now weekly forwarded overland, by express, independent of those that go by mail.

At the United Assay Office, at New York, for the month ending May 29, 1874, there were:

Deposits of gold:

Foreign coins	$ 57,000 00
Foreign bullion	33,000 00
United States bullion	240,000 00
Redeposits	48,000 00
Jewelers' bars	22,000 00
	$400,000 00

The Western Union Telegraph Company, it is reported, has determined on a cash dividend in July next, but, as there is so much speculation in the stock at New York, this outgiving of a dividend should be received with caution.

The total of anthracite coal marketed for the week ending on the 23d ultimo amounted to 480,791 tons, and for the coal year 6,484,423 tons, against 6,667,608 tons to corresponding time last year, being a decrease of 183,185 tons. The bituminous tonnage for the week is 79,668 tons, and for the year 1,099,868 tons against 1,076,086 tons to same time last year, giving a total of all kinds for the week of 560,459 tons, and for the year of 7,584,291 tons, against 7,743,694 tons to same time last year, being a decrease of 159,403 tons. Eastern freights are now quoted at $1.75 to Providence, $2.10 to Boston, and 95 cts. to New York. The tonnage the past week shows a farther increase, and the trade, especially in the Schuylkill region wears a more cheerful aspect. The coal and coke tonnage of the Pennsylvania Railroad last week was 69,542 tons, and for the year 2,120,786. Of anthracite and bituminous there were 1,012,248 tons, and of coke 195,899 tons. This includes the tonnage of coal both east and west.—*Philadelphia Ledger.*

Luther S. Kauffman, Broker, No. 96 Fourth Avenue, furnishes the following quotations of bonds and stocks from the latest advices by telegraph:

	Opened.	Closed.
Gold	112⅜	112
U. S. Sixes—1881—coupon	121⅛	121⅛
5-20 1862	115⅛	115⅛
5-20—1864	117⅛	117⅛
" 1865	118⅛	118⅛
" 1865 new	120	120
" 1867	120⅛	120⅛
" 1868—coupons	120⅜	120⅜
10-40's	114⅝	114⅝
Currency 6's	114⅛	114⅛
New 5 per cents	115⅛	115⅛
10-40—coupons	114⅛	114⅛

RAILWAYS.

New York Central	97⅛	96⅞
Erie	33¼	32⅞
I. C.	98⅜	97
B. H. & E.	1⅜	1⅜
C. C. & I. C.	16⅞	18⅜
St. Paul	22½	
Do. preferred	55	
Michigan Southern	73⅛	71⅛
Do. Central	75	75
North Western Common	35⅛	38⅜
Do. Preferred		56
Rock Island	94⅞	93⅛
Cleveland & Pittsburgh	87⅛	87⅛
Pacific Mail	42⅛	41⅛
Western Union Telegraph	72⅜	71⅛
Ohio & Mississippi	[illegible]	2[illegible]
Union Pacific	2[illegible]	26⅜
Toledo & Wabash	35⅛	3[illegible]
Harlem	127½	127
Chicago and Alton	104	
Adams Express	106	10[illegible]
American Express	63⅛	64
U. S. Express	66⅞	6[illegible]
W., Fargo & Co. Express	76⅞	76
Quicksilver	21⅛	
Canton	53	
Panama		106
Fort Wayne	94⅛	94
Merchants Union Express		50
Hannibal and St. Joseph		56

Messrs. Robinson Bros., bankers, No. 96 Fourth avenue, furnish the following quotations of active stock on the Philadelphia Stock Board to-day:

	Bid.	Asked.
Penns. Central	47⅞	
" " scrip	100⅞	10[illegible]
Reading	56⅛	56⅞
United Cos. of N. J.	123⅞	125
Oil Creek	5[illegible]	
Lehigh Valley	60⅞	61
A. V. R. R. 7-30	77	
Central Transportation	42⅛	42⅜
Empire do.	53	55

NEW YORK, June 2, 1874.

The Treasury disbursements were $186,000. The customs receipts were $425,000; specie payments $462,000; produce exports for the week, $5,158,171. Money was easy at 2@3; prime discounts 5@6, with exceptions at 4½. Sterling was quiet at 487⅞@488 for sixty days and 490⅞@491 for sight. Gold ranged 112@112⅛, the only two prices. The carrying rates were 1@2⅛, closing at 1. The clearings were $20,000,000. State and railroad bonds were dull and neglected. Governments were dull. Stocks were weak and declining the greater part of the day, with one slight recovery about noon, which was lost, and shortly before the close prices showed a fall of ⅛@2⅛. In final dealings, the market was steady at a recovery of ⅛@⅝ from the lowest point. Lake Shore declined during the day 2⅛, and Western Union 1⅝. Other prominent features were Wabash, Northwest, Union Pacific, Pacific Mail and St. Paul. Erie was exceptionally firm, closing at ¼ advance. The total sales were 190,000 shares, of which 43,000 were Western Union, 13,000 Wabash, 63,000 Lake Shore, 6,000 New York Central, 5,000 Erie, 10,000 Northwest, 28,000 Union Pacific, 10,000 Pacific Mail, and 5,000 Rock Island. The proposed tax on sales of stocks and gold is of course unpopular in Wall street, and was used to "bear" the market. The Governing Committee of the Stock Exchange this afternoon empowered the President to appoint a committee to proceed to Washington to remonstrate with the Senate against the passage of the bill.

Governments.—U. S. coupons of 1881, 121¾; 5-20s of '62, 115⅛; do of '64, 117⅛; do of '65, 118⅛; do new, 120⅛; do '67, 120⅛; do of '68, 120⅜; 10-40s, 114⅝; new 5s, 115⅛; currency 6s, 114⅛.

State Bonds.—Missouri, 97; Tennessee, old, 81; do new, 81; Virginia, new, 32; do old, 30; North Carolina, old, 20¼; do new, 12¼.

Stocks.—Canton, 54; Western Union Telegraph Company, 71⅝; Quicksilver, 25¼; Adams Express, 105¾; Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express, 76¼; American Express, 64; United States Express, 66; Pacific Mail, 41¾; New York Central, 96⅝; Erie, 32⅝; do preferred, 53¼; Harlem, 128; do preferred, 128; Michigan Central, 75; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago, 87; Northwestern common, 38⅝; do preferred, 56; Rock Island, 95¾; New Jersey Central, 106; St. Paul, 32; do preferred, 51¾; Toledo & Wabash, 35; do preferred, 65; Fort Wayne, 96; Terre Haute, 7¼; do preferred, 20; Chicago & Alton, 102; do preferred, 106; Ohio & Mississippi, 23; Cleveland, Columbus & Cincinnati, 65; Burlington & Quincy, 101; Lake Shore, 71¾; Panama, 18¼; Illinois Central, 97¼; Union Pacific, 26; Central Pacific, 93; Union Pacific, 86¾; Hartford & Erie, 1⅜; Delaware & Lackawanna, 108¼.

LONDON, June 2—5 P. M.—Consols for money 92⅞@92⅞ ex interest; account 92⅞@92⅞; 5-20s '65, 107⅞; do '67, 109⅞; 10-40s, 104¼; new 5s, 105; New York Central, 88; Erie 30; do preferred, 50.

PARIS, June 2.—Rentes 59f 80c.

FRANKFORT, June 2.—5-20s '62, 98⅜.

COMMERCIAL.

Condition of the Markets at Home and Abroad.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, June 2, 1874.

Business in commercial circles continues dull, and instead of improving as hoped for, it seems to be growing worse; our merchants nearly all complain of trade as being very slow and unsatisfactory. Not only is the demand for the leading staples very much restricted, but there is considerable complaint in regard to collections; it is alleged that remittances are not coming in as freely as could be desired, and here in the city bills are not being met as promptly as usual. Retailers say that a good many of their customers are out of employment and short of funds, and as their capital is mostly locked up in their books, they in turn are unable to meet the demands of the wholesaler.

APPLES—Continue dull, being about out of season; quoted at $5@7 ₩ brl, as to quality and condition.

BEANS—May be quoted, in a jobbing way, at $2.25@2.50 ₩ bushel, the outside figure for choice navies.

BUTTER—Continues dull, with liberal receipts and a supply considerably in excess of present requirements, but prices remain without quotable change, ranging from 15 to 20 for fair to prime, and 21@22 for choice.

CHEESE—Sales of prime Ohio Factory in job lots at 15@15½, and there is not much inquiry for any other kind.

COUNTRY MEAT—Clear Sides, 10½@11 cts Country Lard 9@10.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples, 10@12c for quartered, and 14@15 for halves. Peaches, 10@12 for quarters and mixed: 14@15 for halves, and 18@20 for peeled.

EGGS—The receipts appear to be picking up again, but with a steady demand prices are fully sustained; we continue to quote at 15@16.

FLOUR—There is a fair local trade, but no change whatever in prices. Spring wheat flours, $5.75@7.25; red winter wheat, $7.25@7.75; white wheat, $8.50@9. Rye Flour $5.75@6.

GROCERIES—Trade, while it is perhaps all that can reasonably be expected, is not as good as we would like to have it or as it was a couple of weeks ago. Our Eastern advices report Coffee quiet and unchanged; the bean has declined about 10c ₩ lb since the decline first set in, and some well informed operators predict that it will go still lower—that the bottom has not yet been reached. There is a very fair demand for Sugars, especially refined goods, the supply of which is reported comparatively light—the stock of raws is large, unusually so. The demand for Molasses and Syrups generally slacks off when the hot weather sets in, but stocks are light and prices fully sustained.

SUGARS.—Patent Cut Loaf, 12½; Crushed, Powdered and Granulated, 11¾; Standard A, 10¾; B, 10; Ex. C, 9¾; Circle C, 9¾; Franklin Extra C, 9¾; Franklin No. 2 Extra C, 9¾; American Extra C, 9. Yellow Sugars, 8 to 9c, as to quality.

COFFEE.—Choice Rio, 26; prime, 25; good, 24; fair, 23c. Roasted, 28c for 1 pound packages; loose, ¼c less.

MOLASSES—Strictly prime new crop New Orleans, 90c; good to prime, 85@88.

RICE—Choice Carolina, 9½; Patna, 8½c; Rangoon, 8@8½c.

SYRUPS—Extra White Drips, 70c; Sugar Drips, 60c; Amber, 60@65; lower grades, 50@55, as to quality.

GRAIN—Wheat market continues dull, with more offering than is wanted as the mills are all pretty well stocked, but prices are nominally unchanged: $1.40@1.45 for red winter and $1.45@1.50 for white. The Oat market is still reported offish, but prices are unchanged, 59@61, according to quality; dealers say that they can be brought here and sold below quotations to make anything at all. Shelled Corn continues dull with considerably more offering than is wanted, but prices remain about as last quoted, 75@77, free in elevator. Ear Corn is in light supply and may be quoted at 78@80, with some inquiry but mostly for small lots. Rye and Barley continue quiet and nominally unchanged—in fact there is not enough doing in either of these grains to establish quotations.

HAY—Loose was in good supply in Allegheny again to-day, but prices were about the same as last week, ranging from $16@23 ₩ ton. Baled is offish and may be quoted at $20@21.

HOMINY—$5@5 50 ₩ brl.

PROVISIONS—Hams—Extra Sugar Cured, canvassed, 14; Shoulders—Extra Sugar Cured, canvassed, 9¾; Breakfast Bacon—Sugar Cured canvassed, 12; Dried Beef—Extra Sugar Cured, canvassed, 17. Beef Tongues—Sugar Cured $7.00 ₩ dozen; Bacon—Shoulders, 8½ ₩ lb; Rib Sides, 10¾; Short Rib Sides, 10¾; Clear Rib Sides, 11¼. Mess Pork, ₩ brl, $19 50. Lard—Prime Leaf, in tierces, 12½ ₩ lb; Refined summer use in tierces, 12¾; half brl, 13; buckets 13½. Ham Sausage, 10.

POULTRY—Live chickens 7@80c.

POTATOES—The market for old stock continues very dull, notwithstanding the recent heavy dec[illegible] ... this writing; [illegible] have not yet touched bottom [illegible] Peach Blows, on track, at $1.25 without finding buyers. New Potatoes range from $6@7 per barrel

RAGS—The market is reported quiet and unchanged at 3 cts ₩ lb for good mixed.

SEEDS—Nothing doing in either Clover or Timothy Seeds. Flax Seed would sell readily at $2.25.

TALLOW—6@6¼c ₩ lb.

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, June 2, 1874.

Trade continues very dull and considerably depressed, so far at least as Pittsburgh is concerned, and while hopes are entertained that there will soon be a change for the better, that that activity and buoyancy which usually characterizes the market at this particular time, will succeed the stagnation now prevailing, although the outlook at this writing is not very encouraging. Producers complain that there is no margin for profit at current rates, while refiners say that they can't pay the price at which crude is now held and sell refined again at without incurring an actual loss, and then again, exporters allege that the present position of the foreign markets scarcely justify them in paying present nominal rates, to say nothing about an advance. The great drawback lies in the fact that there is too much oil. The production, both of crude and refined, is largely in excess of the consumption, and unless the former can be diminished or the latter increase it is not reasonable to expect any material or permanent advance, and operators generally appear to have given up all hope of prices going much higher this year. Crude was still quoted to-day at $1.00@1.05 ₩ brl for immediate shipment, and refined at 10@11¼ on cars here, and 12¾@13 delivered in Philadelphia.

The Barrel trade continues very dull, and prices are entirely nominal. The last sale of countries reported was at $1.55; city make held at $1.67.

CRUDE OIL RECEIVED BY ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Shipper	Consignee.	Bbls.
Bradley & Co	Star O W	96
Duncan	American O W	1,566
H McKelvy	Vesta O W	644
McKelvy	Cosmos O W	637
McKelvy	Star O W	228
Fisher Bros	Fairview O W	468
Fisher Bros	Empire O W	246
Young	Sunbeam O W	240
Bradley & Co	Cosmos O W	631
Bradley & Co	Vesta O W	468
Stevenson	Radiant O W	923
Stevenson	Peerless O W	951
Stewart	Sunbeam O W	230
Total		8,151

New York Breadstuffs Market—Weekly Review.

NEW YORK, June 1—In Wheat we have had great activity, though under very liberal and prospective arrivals prices have declined with slight fluctuations. A large business has been done for the future, and the major part of the Wheat arriving and now on the canal is sold, hence the assortment of No 2 Spring offering from day to day has been moderate, and prices of this grade better sustained than other kinds; a large business has been done in No 1 Minnesota and Milwaukee at a decline 5@6c ₩ bushel and considerable sales of this grade have been made for the future at full prices, but the major part of the future purchases have been confined to No 2 Milwaukee; this is carefully inspected and the high standard adopted by the Chamber of Commerce has gained them a high reputation for their Wheat, and they are resolved to adhere to it, and we doubt if they properly appreciate its importance to them, but when their Wheat comes in competition with Spring Wheat from other localities then its preeminence is at once made apparent to all. The Wheat from Minnesota is growing in favor daily, but as they have no authorized inspection there is a wide difference in the quality of the samples exhibited, hence a rigid inspection with a high standard, is what they very much need. In Western Wheat we had much heaviness and depression until Thursday, when a much better demand prevailed in part for the Continent and prices improved. Canadian Wheats have been offered sparingly. [illegible] popular with shippers and command extreme prices. Our advices from Canada are more favorable for their Winter crops; the late rains have been of great benefit to them; much of the Wheat that they supposed was killed is coming on finely, and the loss will be much less than they had apprehended. From the North west and the Middle States we have had very favorable reports of the growing crops, and should nothing occur to mar the present prospect the result will doubtless meet our fullest expectations. A new era in this trade is the introduction of steam on the Erie canal; the success of the enterprise is now well established. A saving of more than half the time and a better condition of the grain transported are the chief and all important points gained. Now that it is demonstrated that Wheat can be shipped by steam from Milwaukee to Liverpool in 20 days we have secured for this city an advantage in a commercial point of view that cannot be estimated, and at this epoch of the enterprise cannot be fully appreciated. We are pleased to learn from Mr Baxter that the company will put on the canal this season a large number of boats. The local demand has not been very active, millers finding wheat relatively higher than Flour have operated sparingly. In White Wheat the business has been extremely limited. The exports of the week have been 1,470,521 bushels against 231,727 bushels the corresponding week last year.

The dull and heavy feeling that distinguished our Flour market this day week have since been the distinguishing features of the market, though the demand has been less active and the disposition to press sales less apparent, but to effect sales freely on arrival holders have again been compelled to make further concessions, which they have done very reluctantly, in view of the very low figures bid for them as contrasted with the cost of production: the receipts have been about as large as for the previous week, but a large proportion of the receipts have consisted of shipping Extras (previously sold), than for the previous week hence, with liberal exports, we have slightly depleted our stock, which is a favorable feature; the receipts of fancy and low grades of Minnesota have been in excess of the wants of the trade, and those were lower. Of the New Patent Process the receipts have been light and with a growing demand we find our stock quite light and holders firm. At the present low prices for Winter Wheat brands, there are certainly very cheap and cannot fail to attract the attention of the trade at an early day. The suspense and prostration that characterizes almost all branches of trade, is greatly felt by the Flour trade. A large proportion of our city jobbers are compelled to sell on time and even these do not find their bills promptly paid, hence they are compelled to purchase sparingly and the trade is light and very unsatisfactory. After the adjournment of Congress a more healthy state of things is confidently expected, and we only express the hope that it will come speedily. City Ground has been in fair demand for the West Indies and for the London markets, but at lower figures. In No 2 and Superfine a fair business was done early in the week, but at easier prices; but since Tuesday the demand has been light, and prices favor the buyer. Since Wednesday we have had a more active demand in Shipping Extras for Liverpool and London, but in yesterday's market we noticed more steadiness. Choice Family grades have been in better demand, and in these a steadier tone was noticeable and more general inquiry. The exports of the week are 35,333 brls, against 24,542 the corresponding week last year.—*Tribune.*

The Depression in the English Iron Trade.

A letter from Birmingham, under date of the 16th says:—The trade continues in the depressed and disorganized state which has now characterized it for the last two months or more. Business is almost at a standstill, and it is not easy to see what or how a change is to be brought about until prices all around are very considerably reduced. This will imply, of course, a further reduction in coal, which will necessitate a fresh reduction in wages over and above that which the masters are at present contending for, and in all probability a new and prolonged struggle between coalmasters and their workpeople. The general opinion of ironmasters seems to be that all these difficulties would be removed if colliery proprietors would frankly adopt the proposal of the miners and appoint a gentleman as arbitrator, as is now done in the iron trade, or even a Board of Conciliation might prove effective. The masters, however, appear to be so confident of their own strength that they absolutely refuse to assent to any measure that may seem to savor of a compromise, and there is therefore no alternative but for those interested in the iron trade to await the issue of the coal struggle with patience.

St. Louis Iron Market.

ST. LOUIS, June 1—There is a decline in this market dating to-day, to which we call the attention of those interested. The brands involved are Missouri, Tennessee and Massillon charcoal: Missouri cold blast charcoal pig, and Missouri charcoal blooms. Maramec iron ore is also off 50c a ton. Stone coal Missouri No 1 Foundry $32@34; No 2 do $30@32; mill $27@29. Charcoal—Missouri—No 1 Foundry $35@37; No 2 do $33@35; white and mottled $31@33. Charcoal—Tennessee—No 1 Foundry $33@35; Alabama—No 1 Foundry $35@36. Scotch, according to brand, $4@45. Massillon $39@41. American Scotch $43. Hanging Rock $35. Cold blast charcoal—Missouri $49@51; Tennessee $48@50; Kentucky $50@78; Alabama and Georgia $48@50. Missouri charcoal blooms $89@91. Iron ore—Iron Mountain $8; Maramec $6.—*Globe.*

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 2, 1874.

FLOUR—Dull; sales of choice western superfine at $5.50.

GRAIN—Wheat: demand active and prices advanced; No 1 spring $1.22; No 2 $1.10⅞ cash; $1.10⅞ seller June or July. Corn: demand active and prices advanced; No 2 mixed 56½c cash and seller June or July; rejected 53c. Oats: demand fair and prices advanced; No 2 44¼c cash; 44½c seller June. Rye quiet; No 1 90c. Barley dull and nominal; No 1 $1.40; No 3 $1.00.

WHISKY—Demand fair and market firm; 95c.

PROVISIONS—Pork steady and in moderate demand; $17.37½ cash or seller June; $17.45@17.50 seller July. Lard: demand active and prices advanced; $10.70 cash or June. Bulk meats steady and in moderate demand, but unchanged. Bacon steady and in moderate demand at 12@12½c.

New York.

NEW YORK, June 2.—Cotton dull; 18⅛c. Flour: little better inquiry; superfine western and State $5.55@5.90; common to good $5.90@6.35; good to choice $6.35@7. Wheat heavy and lower; No 2 spring $1.42@1.44; ungraded Iowa and Minnesota spring $1.40@1.49; white Michigan $1.65. Rye quiet; $1.05@1.12. Barley dull. Malt heavy; Canada West $2.05@2.10. Corn closed dull and heavy; new and old mixed western 78@79c; old western yellow 80@81c. Oats firmer; mixed western 62@63½c; white 65@67c. Hay firm at $1.15. Hops unchanged. Sugar firm at 7¾@8c. Coffee, Molasses and Rice quiet. Rosin and turpentine steady; crude 5⅛c; refined 13@13⅛c. Eggs firm at 14@15c. Pork firmer; $17.75 cash; $17.60 June; $17.80 July. Beef unchanged. Middles steady; short clear 10⅛c; long clear 10c. Lard firmer; 11¾c; 11⅝@11⅞c June. Butter steady; 20@28c. Cheese unchanged. Whisky firmer; $1.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, June 2.—Flour in improved demand; Howard street and western superfine $4.50@5.25; do extra $5.50@6.25; do family $6.25@8.75. Wheat steady and unchanged. Corn: western mixed dull; old 79c; new 78c. Oats steady; western mixed 62@63c; white 64@65c. Rye quiet and unchanged. Provisions very quiet. Mess Pork $18. Bulk Meats nominal; nothing doing. Bacon dull and unchanged. Lard quiet. Butter quiet; western dull; choice 23@25c. Coffee in fair demand; fair to prime Rio 17@19½c. Whisky quiet at 99c@$1.

Foreign.

LONDON, June 2.—Tallow 40s 3d. Refined petroleum 11@11⅛d.

LIVERPOOL, June 2—Cotton dull; middling uplands 8⅛@8⅜d; Orleans 8⅜d; sales of 8,000 bales; American 9,100; speculation and export 1,000. Breadstuffs quiet. Average California white wheat 12s 7d@12s 10d; club 12s 9d@13s; red western spring 10s 9d@11s 5d. Corn 35s. Lard 56s 6d.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, June 2.—Flour dull and in buyers' favor; superfine $4.65@5.25. Wheat quiet; red $1.40@1.50; amber $1.62@1.65. Rye: western 98. Corn: yellow 83@84c; mixed 80@81c. Oats unchanged. Butter quiet; choice western 23@25c; fair to good 18@20c. Cheese: western 16@17c. Petroleum: refined 13@13⅛c. Whisky steady at $1.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, June 2.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat steady and in moderate demand; No 1 Milwaukee $1.23½; No 2 $1.20⅜. Corn: demand active and prices advanced; No 2 mixed 55½c. Oats: demand active and prices advanced; No 2 48c. Rye steady and in moderate demand; No 1 88c. Barley dull and nominal; No 1 $1.30; No 3 90c.

Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, June 2.—Cotton: sales of 1,350 bales; assortment poor; prices irregular and generally easier; good ordinary to strict good ordinary 15@15½c; low middling to strict low middling 16½@17¼c; middling to strict middling 17⅝@18⅛c; good middling 18¼@18¾c; receipts 516 bales; exports, none; stock 77,895; unsold last evening 53,300.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, June 2.—Flour steady and in moderate demand. Wheat steady and in moderate demand; No 3 white Wabash $1.31½; amber $1.35; No 2 red $1.33@1.33½; No 3 $1.25. Corn: demand firm and prices advanced; high mixed 62½c; seller June 62⅛c; seller July 63c; seller August 64c; low mixed 61c; no grade 60c. Oats quiet and unchanged; No 1, 52½c; No 2, 50c.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, June 2.—Flour dull and lower. Wheat quiet; No 1 red $1.34. Corn steady at 64@65c. Oats quiet at 53@55c. Petroleum dull; standard white 10½c.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, June 2.—Cotton quiet; middling 17⅝@17⅞c. Flour and Corn dull and nominal. Oats dull at 58c. Lard dull at 11½@12½c. Bacon dull but unchanged.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, June 2.—Cotton, Flour, Grain and Provisions quiet and unchanged in every respect. Sugar cured hams 12½c. Whisky: demand fair and market firm at 99c.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, June 2.—Flour dull and lower. Bacon firm; 7⅜@10¼@10⅜c. Hams dull; 13½@13⅞c. Dry salt shoulders 7@7⅛c. Corn meal dull and drooping; $4.00@4.10. Other unchanged.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, June 2.—Cotton, Flour, Grain and Provisions quiet and unchanged. Whisky steady and in moderate demand at 95c.

Oswego.

OSWEGO, June 2—Wheat quiet; No 1 Milwaukee club nominally $1.40@1.41. Corn quiet at 74@75c.

Live Stock.

CHICAGO June 2.—Cattle: receipts 4,857; market fairly active and prices steady and unchanged; $5.25@6.40 for fair to extra native steers; $4.12@5.40 for fair to choice Texan; shipments 3,460. Hogs: receipts 12,000; market quiet and prices easier; $4.75@5.25 for inferior to medium; $5.30@5.60 for good to choice; the market closing with a good many unsold, shipments 8,663. Sheep: receipts 280; the market was quiet and unchanged.

BUFFALO, June 2.—Cattle: receipts 1,955 head; total for the week 5,661; market opened slow; buyers asking ¼c advance on last week's prices, and obtaining 15@20c advance on the sales made; quality medium to common; but few prime lots in the yards. Sheep and lambs: receipts 400; total for the week 2,200; run light; a large number held over from last week; buyers, on account of unfavorable advices from the east, are holding off; there is not sufficient sales to establish prices. Hogs: receipts 900; total for the week 9,700; market dull; Yorkers $5.40@5.65; heavy hogs $5.70@5.90, with choice lots a shade higher.

Wool.

PHILADELPHIA, June 2.—Wool quiet and firm; the following quotations are for new; those for old are 10 per cent. less; Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia XX and above 57@58c; X 57@57½c; medium 57@58c; coarse 45@50c; New York, Michigan, Indiana and western 50@53c; medium 54@56c; coarse 45@48c; combing washed 60@70c; combing unwashed 40@45c; Canada combing 60@63c; fine unwashed 35@38c; coarse and medium unwashed 35@38c; tub washed 55@57c; extra and Merino pulled 45@50c; No 1 super pulled 45@47½c.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, June 2.—The trade movement was slow apart from heavy woolens, which moved more freely, and prints at job prices. Cotton goods are quiet but steady. Grain bags are in increased request by western jobbers. Garner's fancy prints are jobbing at 8c, and Amoskeag fancies at 7c. The auction rooms were well attended to-day, but foreign fabrics ruled low.

Lumber.

CHICAGO, June 2.—The lumber market, under very large arrivals, ruled dull, and prices are 25@50c lower; joists and scantling $8.50@9.25; strips and boards $9@16; shingles $2.00@3, laths $1.75.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R.—1 car iron W Springer; 1 do c sides Stewart Bro; 1 do wheat Keil & R; 4 brls iron Zug & Co; 10 doz brooms J A Renshaw & Co; 274 bxs cheese W W Wolcott; 2 bags d apples S Ewart & Co; 56 brls eggs W H Graff & Co; 2 cars iron Wayne I & S Co; 30 cases tobacco A Kirkpatrick & Co; 1 car shingles Union P Mill; 1 do A McClure; 2 do oats Houck McC & Co; 9 brls eggs H J McCracken & Bro; 25 do Voigt M & Co; 30 H Rea Jr; 50 bxs cheese Arbuckles & Co; 1 car shoulders F Sellers & Co.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.—2 cars lumber R P Burgen; 1 do G Richards; 1 do G A Mundorff; 1 do B Schmidt & Co; 1 do Aubray & M; 1 do Walker & M; 58 pcs pipe J Gosling; 100 do W F Taggart & Co; 50 do H H Collins; 8 do flue linings Akron S Pipe Co; 25 sks c meal Houck McC & Co; 2½ brls liquor J J Speck & Co; 2 do whisky 1 brl do J McCullough; 17 sks oats 51 do corn McBane & A; 3 crts eggs Head G & Co; 2 do H Rea Jr; 15 bxs cheese McIntire & L; 12 bdls chairs 3 do rockers T B Young & Co; 11 sks potatoes J A Graff & Son; 2 bdls paper E P Thomas; 1 brl eggs E H Robinson; 1 do 55 sacks oats J Rose; 2 do 1 oil Anchor Line Store; 50 do flour 250 do Watt L & Co; lot furniture W H Porter; 50 do C Wetzel; 2 brls eggs F Schields; 3 do ½ do Caldwell & C; 100 brls C A Wormcastl; 317 do B D Moore.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.—19 cars lime stone Isabella F Co; 12 do Schoenberger B & Co; 15 do Kloman & C Bros; 1 do stone Dilworth P & Co; 1 do pork Fleccus & Sons; 1 do junk S P Schuneman; 1 do McKinney & Son; 1 do McCracken; 1 do stone Mackin & F; 1 do G Dunn; 10 do Howard & Son; 1 do J L Lowry; 1 do hay Star F B Co; 3 do lime W J Baughman; 1 do tar T Pesce; 3 do lumber A Lewis; 8 do ice Chaut Lake I Co; 90 brls salt J H Lippincott; 283 sks potatoes J Ganon; 55 bxs ref oil Penna R R Co; 156 carboys J Irwin & Co; 319 bxs cheese Bradon & P; 39 sks potatoes VanGorder & S; 25 cars coal Sable C Co; 3 do brick Miller B & P; 13 sks potatoes Freese & A; 27 sks oats L Atwater; 1 car potatoes J H Lich & Co; 17 sks oats McIntire & L; 11 cars iron Rees Graff & W.

ALLEGHENY STATION—1 car hay R Knox & Son; 2 do s iron Spang C & Co; 1 do lumber M Sumner; 2 brls eggs F P Kohen; 79 bxs oats 34 do corn 4 do rye J A Steel; 1 car lime Holmes & Co; 5 cases eggs G McFerron; 17 brls tallow W and H Walker; 5 sks meal R Carson; 1 car cooperage J M Hemphill; 1 do R T Pennell; 1 do J Kanish; 2 do H Cordier.

Receipts Pig Metal, Ore and Blooms

PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, P. R. R. LESSEE.

Lewis O & P m	4	J W Porter & Co m	6
Zug & Co m	3	Nimick & Co m	18
Caughey & H m	2	Lindsay & McC	4
J Reamer m	5	W Clark & Co m	1
Jones & L m	1	Reese G & Co m	1
Glass N & Co m	3		
Total			48

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

Isabella Furnace m	16	J Moorhead m	3
Lucy Furnace o	8		
Total			27

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R R.

Nimick and Co m	1	Lewis O & P m	5
W Smith & Son m	[illegible]		
Total			8

NOTICE—HAVING BEEN LONG USED to Ship Rigging, will engage to superintend the moving or raising of large machinery or heavy articles of any kind. Can be found at 42 RESACA STREET, Allegheny, or a note left at 119 FIRST AVENUE, Pittsburgh, will receive prompt attention.
ap30 CAPT. C. H. COCHRAN

RIVER NEWS.

State of the Rivers, Movements of Steamboats, &c.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATION, SIGNAL SERVICE U. S. ARMY.—DAILY REPORT OF THE STAGE OF WATER, WITH CHANGES IN THE 24 HOURS ENDING 3 P. M.

Pittsburgh, June 2, 1874.

Stations.	Above low water ft.	in.	Change ft.	Change in.	Dir'n of Wind.	State of Weather.
Boonville, Mo.	6	5		—1	Calm	Cloudy.
*Brownsville, Pa	1	6		—2	W	Fair.
Cairo.	14	2		—2	NE	Fair.
Cincinnati, O.	8	5		—5	E	Cloudy.
*Confluence, Pa.		2		—1	S	Fair.
Davenport, Ia.	5	8		—3	E	Cloudy.
Evansville, Ind.	5	3		—2	S	Cloudy.
Freeport, Pa.	1	8		—4	SE	Fair.
Hermann, Mo.	5	1		—2	NW	Thr'ng.
Kansas City, Mo	7	4		—2	W	Fair.
Keokuk, Iowa.	6	1		—3	SE	Fair.
Leavenworth.	2	1		—3	SW	Fair.
Helena	22	7	—1		NE	Tht'ng.
LaCrosse	5	5		†1	E	Lt. Rain.
Morgantown		9			NW	Fair.
Louisville	4	7			NE	Cloudy.
Marietta, O.	4	9		—3	SE	Cloudy
Memphis, Tenn	13			—4	SW	Lt. Rain.
Nashville, Tenn.	3	2		—2	NW	Fair
*New Geneva, Pa	3			—2	N	Cloudy.
Oil City, Pa.	1	4			NE	Clear.
Omaha, Neb.	5	1		†1	SW	Fair.
Pittsburgh, Pa.	3	7		—2	E	Fair.
*Plattsmouth		1		†3	NW	Fair.
Shreveport, La.	23	9		—4	SW	Fair.
St. Joseph, Mo.	3	11		—1	W	Cloudy.
St. Louis, Mo.	11	11		—5	S	Thr'ng.
St. Paul, Minn.	5	11		—5	E	Cloudy.
Vicksburg	42	2		—6	E	Thr'ng.
Warsaw, Ills.	6	8		—2	S	Fair.
Yankton, D T.	13	4		†1	NW	Cloudy.

*Below bench mark.

GEORGE H. ROHE,
Observer, Signal Service, U. S. A.

The river continues to recede slowly at this point, with three feet seven inches in the channel last evening. Cool and pleasant, and very favorable for business at the land, which we regret to state continues dull.

There have been no arrivals since the date of our last report, and the R. W. Skillinger for Cincinnati, and Carrie Brooks for Zanesville, were the only departures. The Skillinger had all the freight she could take on the water, and a fair number of passengers. Jacob Poe and George Littleton are her pilots.

Both the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers are reported stationary at head waters.

The Messenger, Capt. M. A. Cox, will commence loading for Cincinnati and Louisville within the next day or two.

The Charley McDonald passed Cincinnati on Sunday en route for Pittsburgh with an empty tow.

—Tuesday's Cincinnati "Commercial" says:—During May 1,360 tons of pig iron was received here by flatboat——The rates have been advanced to 20 cents per hundred to Memphis, and 35 cents to New Orleans——The Alice Brown, with iron ore, and Coal Valley, with an empty tow passed up——The R. W. Dugan arrived from Pittsburgh with a fair trip. The Juniata returns to Pittsburgh to-day. She has one item of 500 bales hay and straw——Capt. R. M. Wade, Superintendent of the Louisville Mail Line, has inaugurated a plan at Rising Sun which insures a safe transit for the mail boats over the troublesome bar at that place. A pilot is kept constantly there to watch the changes, make soundings, note the locations of obstructions by boats grounding, &c., and then pilot the boats over the bar. This watch is accomplished by causing the pilots of the line to stop off by turn——Dr. Thos. J. Griffiths, Surgeon in charge of the United States Marine Hospital at Louisville, reports the following as the condition of the Hospital under his charge during the month of May, 1874: Number of patients remaining the last day of April, 58; number admitted during May, 38; number treated during May, 96; number discharged during May, 28; number died during May, 1; number remaining on the last day of May, 67; number of out door marine patients treated during May, 8; number of private patients treated during May, 6. Died—James O'Neal, United States Navy——LOUISVILLE, June 2.—The Hill Wrecking Company have succeeded in taking out the machinery of the Allegheny Belle, sunk on Portland bar, and are now at work on the boilers——The Ferry Company are endeavoring to raise the barge sunk by the Longworth. The timbers to the extent of 10 feet in the side, were broken——ST. LOUIS, June 2.—Captain R. J. Grace, of Pittsburgh, is in the city looking after the interests of the Derkins Surface Blower Company. He claims that parties here are infringing on the company's patent, and will have an injunction served on them.

—Says Tuesday's Cincinnati Gazette: The Coal Valley passed up for Pittsburgh yesterday with 5 barges empty barrels and 3 empty barges.——The Tom Farrow arrived with 5 barges freestone, 6 barges coal and 4 barges bark, and will start up the river to-day with a tow of empty barges.——Pittsburgh coal is now supplied to steamers at Memphis at 5½ a box—inferior qualities selling at 40c——J. T. Whiting, President of the National Board of Steam Navigation, telegraphs that he has returned to Detroit, and suggests that a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board be called at once. The new steamboat bill has passed the House, but has not yet been brought up in the Senate, where it was defeated last year simply by adjournment——For the information of our short memory we republish the names of the officers and Executive Committee of the National Board of Steam Navigation:—President J. T. Whiting, Mich.; Vice President, Thomas Clyde, Pa.; 2d Vice President, R. H. Woolfolk, Ky.; Corresponding Secretary, R. S. Osbon, New York; Recording Secretary, W. L. James, Pa.; Treasurer, J. B. Andrews, Maryland; Executive Committee, Thomas Sherlock, Ohio; S. R. Kirby, Mich.; L. E. Payne, Pa.; Simpson Horner, Pa.; N. J. Bigley, Pa.; C. W. Copeland, New York; L. Murray Ferris, Jr., New York; John Allen, Jr., Buffalo; E. T. Evans, Buffalo; Anning Smith, New Jersey; J. B. Coyle, Maine; F. W. Nickerson, Mass.; H. M. Whitney, Mass.; L. J. F. Stark, Vt.; W. C. Smith, Md.

—The Cincinnati "Gazette" says: The new capstan of which Capt. James Rees, Sr., has received letters patent, has been in employment for some time on the Exporter, Paragon, B. D. Wood and Little Andy Fulton. The method is entirely different from McMillan's, although McMillan claims that it is an infringement on his patent. The latter's papers granting patent are so worded that the principle of applying steam to the capstan becomes the ground on which the intimated suit for an injunction can be conducted, and, indeed, is the only opening for McMillan. In the opinion of those acquainted with the patent laws this can hardly be sustained. We understand that McMillan caused an assessment of $20 to be made on the Exporter for the use of a "steam capstan," which was paid under protest, with a view to its recovery upon the issue of letters patent to Capt. Rees. The case will excite great interest and much comment among steamboat men.

—The "Gazette" submits the following query to our townsman: Will McMillan submit to the use of this capstan? "A model for a steam capstan for this vessel has been designed in the Bureau of Steam Engineering by Assistant Engineer G. W. Baird, U. S. N. The old fashioned capstan is used, and is placed to the topgallant forecastle, the spindle running through the deck on which is placed a spiral gear, the worm of which is run by a pair of engines directly connected. The engines are reversed by a two-way cock, so that they can be reversed by simply turning the cock, which can be done by any one of the ship's company. The water valves are automatic, as are also the oiling appliances."

—There is a loud call for a convention of steamboat owners, captains, clerks, mates and all interested in the steamboat business to meet at Louisville in July or August next. They purpose the consideration of ways and means of restoring the value of steamboat interests, and the re-production, or rather the return of the legitimate trade that should be done by boats on the Mississippi and its tributaries.

—A Cairo dispatch under date of Saturday says: The A. S. Baker, with two barges, cut off three miles above forty twos, and will laden for St. Louis She was aground some time at the foot of the island, The Mary Davage brought out her remaining barge of iron ore, and left with both for the Ohio this morning.

—The Exporter left Cincinnati on Saturday for New Orleans with 400 tons aboard, and had 200 tons on the barge Charley. The boat was drawing 4 feet 1 inches and the barge 3½ feet. She also took the barge Henry Adkins for a lighter and on it was stowed 300 bales cotton. Pilots, Frank Carroll and Wash. Tenley.

—"Wanderer" writes from Yankton, May 27: The Far West arrived to-day from Buford, 1 P. M., less than seven days from here and returns. The Western will be here on Sunday, 31st; Josephine by Friday, 5th. River here rising. [illegible]—5 feet since Sunday; reported to be out of the Yellowstone and other streams below.

—The officers of the Idlewood declared at Cairo, Saturday, that Cumberland dam is no broken, and that the channel behind the Island is cutting out.

—The Arlington left Memphis Saturday with 30 passengers, 630 bales of cotton, 40 bales rags, 50 brls oil, and sundries.

—Nobody was hurt when the Mary Houston's starboard engine let go at Grand Gulf.

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DAY EXPRESS daily, at 7:35 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 3:05 p. m., Philadelphia 6:40 p. m., New York 9:30 p. m., Baltimore 6:30 p. m., Washington 8:55 p. m.
MAIL TRAIN daily, except Sunday, 7:45 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 9:15 p. m.
CINCINNATI EXPRESS daily, at 12:00 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 10:40 p. m., Philadelphia 3:30 a. m., New York 6:50 a. m.
FAST LINE daily, at 6:25 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 4:40 a. m., Philadelphia 9:15 a. m., New York 12:35 p. m., Baltimore 8:30 a. m., Washington 10:40 a. m.
WALL'S ACCOMMODATION 6:05, 10:00, 11:45 a. m., 3:30, 5:10 and 11:30 p. m. Sunday, 12:40 p. m.
BRINTON ACCOMMODATION, 6:45 a. m., 3:00, 5:45 and 9:49 p. m. Sunday, 9:40 p. m.
WILKINSBURG ACCOM., 2:40 p. m. and 7:10 p. m.
JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION ... 4:30 p. m.
Trains arrive at Union Depot as follows:

MAIN LINE WESTWARD.
Mail Train daily, except Monday ... 1:20 a. m.
Fast Line daily, except Monday ... 1:40 a. m.
Pittsburgh Express daily, except Monday ... 8:40 a. m.
Cincinnati Express daily ... 9:05 a. m.
Pacific Express daily ... 1:10 p. m.
Way Passenger daily ... 5:30 p. m.
Wall's Accommodation 6:40 and 8:25 a. m., 1:20, 3:40 and 5:45 p. m. Sunday, 10:00 a. m.
Brinton Accommodation, 7:30 and 9:00 a. m., 6:45, 7:25 and 11:10 p. m.
Wilkinsburg Accom. ... 6:40 p. m. and 9:20 p. m.
Johnstown Accommodation ... 10:35 a. m.

WEST PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION
From Federal street Depot, Allegheny City.
MAIL TRAIN ... 6:35 a. m.
EXPRESS ... 3:15 p. m.
FREEPORT ACCOM. ... 9:15 a. m. and 4:05 p. m.
SPRINGDALE ACCOM. 11:20 a. m., 6:30 and 9:00 p. m. Sunday 12:50 p. m.
ACC'M. FOR BUTLER 6:35 a. m. and 4:05 p. m.
Trains arrive at Federal street Depot:
Express, connecting from Butler ... 10:00 a. m.
Mail Train, connecting from Butler ... 5:40 p. m.
Freeport Accommodation ... 8:20 a. m. and 1:40 p. m.
Springdale Accom., 6:50 a. m. and 6:15 and 10.05 p. m. Sunday 9:50 a. m.

The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check baggage from hotels and residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the ticket offices, No. 78 Fifth avenue, and the Union Depot.
D. M. BOYD, Jr.,
General Passenger Agent.
A. J. CASSATT, General Manager. je1

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY. CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.
On and after May 31st, 1874, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:13 am	Pacific Express	2:10 am
Chicago Mail	6:[illegible] am	Wheeling Ex	10:[illegible] am
Erie & Asht. Ex	6:28 am	Chicago Express	11:[illegible] am
Cl. & Wh'g M'l	6:53 am	Erie & Asht. Ex.	2:33 pm
Chicago Express	9:[illegible] am	Chicago Mail	2:[illegible] pm
Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	1:54 pm	[illegible] Ex	3:[illegible] pm
Pacific Express	2:13 pm	Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	5:44 pm
Wellsville Ex	4:[illegible] pm	Cl. & St. L. Ex	6:08 pm
Erie & War. Ex.	4:38 pm	Erie & Asht. Ex	11:28 pm
DEPART FROM ALLEGH'Y.		ARRIVE IN ALLEGHENY.	
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:[illegible]	Leetsdale Accom	6:53 am
Leetsdale Accom	10:28 am	Leetsdale Accom	7:42 am
Leetsdale Accom	12:[illegible] pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	8:13 am
Sharp. & Asht. Ac	2:13 pm	Econ Accom	8:48 am
Econ Accom	2:45 pm	Sharp. & Asht. Ac	9:53 am
Leetsdale Accom	5:32 pm	Leetsdale Accom	12:50 pm
Beaver Falls Ac.	5:22 pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	2:11 pm
Leetsdale Accom	8:28 pm	Leetsdale Accom	4:38 pm
Leetsdale Accom	12:58 pm	Leetsdale Accom	7:38 pm
Fair Oaks Sunday church	12:53 pm	Fair Oaks Sunday Church	9:53 am

Pacific Express leaves daily. Chicago Express arrives daily.
Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted. Pacific Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted.
All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.
F. R. MYERS,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent.
J. N. McCULLOUGH,
General Manager.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.—On and after MONDAY, JUNE 1ST, 1874, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot Pittsburgh as follows, (Pittsburgh time):

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Hulton Acc.	6:40 am	Night Ex.	5:50 am
Buffalo Ex.	7:00 am	Hulton Acc.	6:50 am
Kittanning Acc.	10:5[illegible] am	Soda Works Acc	8:20 am
Titusville Ex.	12:40 pm	Hulton Acc.	9:10 am
Brady's Bend Acc.	3:25 pm	Brady's Bend Acc.	10:10 am
Hulton Acc.	5:00 pm	Titusville Ex.	3:20 pm
Soda Works Acc	6:00 pm	Kittanning Acc	5:45 pm
Hulton Acc.	10:50 pm	Hulton Acc.	7:30 pm
Night Ex.	8:10 pm	Buffalo Ex.	9:40 pm

Buffalo Express Daily; on Sundays to Oil City only. All other trains daily except Sunday.
Buffalo Express makes close connections, at Red Bank Junction with trains on Low Grade Division for Brookville, Driftwood, Williamsport, Elmira and all points northeast.
Pullman Palace Sleeping cars on Night Express between Pittsburgh and Mayville.
Church train leaves Soda Works at 8:35am, arrives at Pittsburgh at 10:10am, returning leaves Pittsburgh at 12:50pm, arriving at Soda Works at 2:25pm, stopping at all stations.
Orders can be left with Excelsior Baggage Company 78 Fifth avenue, for Baggage to be checked from Hotels or residences to destination.
Ticket offices, No. 78 Fifth avenue and Union Depot.
J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen. Sup't.
THOS. M. KING, Assist. Sup't.
JAMES H. BRAY Ticket Agent.

PITTSBURGH, VIRGINIA & CHARLESTON RAILWAY.
On and after MONDAY, May 11th, 1874, and until further notice, trains will leave and arrive at Depot, 226 Carson street, South Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh Time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Homestead acc from Ormsby	6:05 a. m	Homestead acc.	6:55 a. m
Through Mail	8:45 a. m	Pittsburgh acc.	8:25 a. m
Monongahela acc	11:00 a. m	Pittsburgh Ex.	10:20 a. m
Monongahela Ex	4:00 p. m	Pittsburgh acc.	3:15 p. m
Monongahela acc	6:15 p. m	Through Mail	6:00 p. m

CHURCH TRAIN leaves Monongahela City every Sunday at 8:00 a. m. stopping at all points for passengers, and reaching Pittsburgh at 10:00 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 1:00 p. m., arriving at Monongahela City at 3:05 p. m.
Special Steamer to and from Brownsville and up river points connect with all fast Trains at Monongahela City, as follows: Leaving Brownsville at 5:00 am. and 12:20 pm., connecting to arrive at Pittsburgh at 10:20 am. and 6 pm. Returning, leave Pittsburgh at 4: pm., connecting to arrive at Brownsville at 9:00 pm. From 4 to 8 hours the quickest route.
Purchase Through Tickets, via this Route.
Baggage Checked Through.
Baggage called for or delivered. General Office, 61 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh.
JOHN M. BYERS,
Superintendent.
WM. J. ROSE.
General Passenger Agent. mh

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILWAY—Pittsburgh, Washington and Baltimore "Short Line."
Change of Time—Summer Arrangement.
On and after Sunday, May 10, 1874. Trains on this road will depart and arrive from Depot, corner of Grant and Water streets, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Local Mail	6:10 am	McKeesport acc.	6:40 am
Through Mail	7:00 am	McKeesport acc.	7:35 am
Mixed Way	9:20 am	W. Newton acc.	8:20 am
McKeesport acc.	11:00 am	Through Express	8:45 am
McKeesport acc.	2:[illegible] pm	Connellsville acc.	10:50 am
Connellsville acc.	3:35 pm	McKeesport acc.	12:00 pm
McKeesport acc.	4:30 pm	McKeesport acc.	2:[illegible] pm
W. Newton acc.	[illegible] pm	McKeesport acc.	4:50 pm
McKeesport acc.	6:20 pm	Uniontown acc.	6:10 pm
Through Ex.	[illegible] pm	McKeesport acc.	7:40 pm
McKeesport acc.	11:00 pm	Through Mail	8:25 pm
W. Newton Ch T.	12:45 pm	W. Newton C T.	10:05 am

Mail and Accommodation Trains daily, except Sunday. Express Trains daily. Pullman Palace Sleeping cars.
Save 75 miles travel, Washington City, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, and all points East.
General Ticket Office, 43 Fifth avenue.
SAM'L C. HOUGH,
General Passenger Agent.
E. K. HYNDMAN,
my9 General Superintendent.

PITTSBURGH CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY, Pan Handle Route,
On and after May. 31, 1874, trains leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh time as follows:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:13 am	Mc[illegible]	6:53 am
[illegible]	7:18	Cincinnati Ex.	7:18 am
Wash. Accom.	9:13	Wash. Accom.	8:12 am
Pacific Express	9:38	Steubenville Ac.	9:38 am
McDonald Ac.	10:40 am	McDonald Ac.	2:13 pm
Pittsburgh Ex.	2:13	Wash. Accom.	3:53 pm
Steubenville Ac	3:28	Mail	5:13 pm
Wash. Accom.	5:18	Fast Line	5:38 pm
McDonald Ac.	6:13	Southern Ex.	12:14 am
Sunday Church train	[illegible]	Sunday Church train	10:08 am

Fast Line and Pittsburgh Express leave daily.
Fast Line and [illegible] Express arrive daily.
All other Trains will run daily, except Sundays.
Sleeping Cars, without change to Cincinnati, Louisville, Indianapolis and St. Louis.
W. L. O'BRIEN,
Gen. Passenger and Ticket Agent.
GEO. WEBB, Gen. Supt.

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Corner Second Avenue and Liberty Street,
PITTSBURGH, PA.
Repairing done promptly. Orders sent to the above address will be promptly attended to.

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Tubular, Double-flued Tubular Fire Box and Cylinder Steam Boilers,
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COR. SECOND, THIRD, SHORT AND LIBERTY STREETS, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Orders sent to the above address will be promptly attended to.

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No. 13 Water Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Have on hand and by rule LOCOMOTIVE and TUBULAR BOILERS, and make to order STEAM BOILERS of all kinds. Also, SHEET IRON WORK of all descriptions.
Watson & Munroe,
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HOME NEWS.

$25 Reward.

We will pay twenty-five dollars to any one informing us who steals or in anywise interferes at the Depot or on trains with our packages of GAZETTES directed to agents. For two days GAZETTES sent to New Castle and Franklin have been tampered with, and we propose to prosecute to the full extent of the law the party or parties doing it, if we can get their names.

Died of His Injuries.

Several days ago we noted the fact that a Mr. John B. Haymaker, who resided on the Troy Hill road, Allegheny, was bitten by a dog and had to be removed to the West Penn Hospital, by the Directors of the Poor of Allegheny. Since that time erysipelas has set in, and yesterday the man died from its effects.

May at the Homœpathic Dispensary.

During the past month there were seven hundred and ninety-two prescriptions issued to the poor of the city by this institution. One hundred and eighty visits were also made by the attending staff, upon those too ill to come to the Dispensary. A number of surgical cases were skillfully treated and apparatus applied. The Dispensary is open in the morning, from 11 to 12 o'clock, and in the afternoon from 2 to 3 o'clock, daily except Sundays.

Revenue Collections.

The Internal Revenue collections in this district for the month of May, as returned by Collector T. W. Davis, are as follows:

Spirits	$28,816 50
Tobacco	28,858 64
Fermented liquors	13,677 90
Banks and Bankers	42 00
Penalties, &c	50 00
Total	$71,445 04

Fire at Rochester.

Yesterday morning the building owned by Col. H. W. Seely, and occupied by Hart Darragh as a billiard saloon, near the bridge, at Rochester, Beaver county, was destroyed by fire. The bridge was threatened with destruction, but was fortunately saved. The loss on the building is nine hundred dollars, partially insured. The billiard tables and saloon furniture were saved in a damaged condition. The fire was caused by sparks from a passing locomotive.

Wills.

The will of Warner Washington, a well-known barber of this city, who died recently, was filed yesterday in the Register's office. Everything he had in the world he gave to his wife. Christian Linhart, late of Wilkins township, bequeathed his entire estate to his daughter Sarah E Johnston, and his grandson Wilber T. Richardson, share and share alike, directing, however, that each should pay $150 per annum in half yearly payments to his wife Christiana during her life, and also giving her the sum of $300.

Three Lively Lawless Lads.

Christy Bradford was arrested early yesterday morning on a charge of stealing ten dollars from Benjamin Senior, of Washington county. He was placed in the station house and upon being called up for a hearing, he was not there. It seems that he went into the back part of the lock-up and scaling a water pipe, escaped through the sky light. He was soon after re-arrested, however, and is held to answer the charge of larceny preferred against him.

"Bull" White, who is a colleague of Bradford's, was also arrested again yesterday morning, on a charge of participating in a riot on Decoration day, at a picnic at Friendship Grove.

The man Crilly, who attacked officer Kennedy, while he was arresting White on Monday morning, is also in confinement and will have a hearing this afternoon.

Wagon Works and Wagons.

The extensive, popular and widely-known wagon works of Messrs. C. Coleman & Co., have been removed from the old location on Marion avenue to corner of Craig street and Allegheny river. This change of location was rendered necessary on account of the constant increase of their business, which called for greater capacity and better facilities to accommodate their customers. They have erected new and commodious works at their present location and are fully prepared to supply their patrons with everything in the line of wagons, carts, barrows, as well as spokes, hubs, felloes and all material pertaining to the trade. They are scrupulous as to selection of material, nothing but the best and choicest being used in their factory, while workmen of the highest skill and long experience are employed in their manufacture, and as a consequence their products have attained a reputation second to none.

An Interesting Occasion.

The old Reformed Presbyterian church on Oak alley was the scene of some very interesting services on Sabbath last, it being a communion season, the first held by the new pastor, Rev. Wm. Young, who gives promise of being a worthy successor of the two pastors who have preceded him—the Rev. John Black, D. D., its first pastor, who held the position from the first organization of the church in 1802, till his death, which took place in 1849. The next pastor took charge in 1850 and resigned in 1872. On Sabbath last more than 320 persons communed, 29 of whom were admitted to the church on this occasion. The pastor was assisted by the Rev. W. J. McDowell, of Brooklyn, New York, who, owing to the ill health of the pastor did the greater part of the work, preaching on Friday, Saturday, Sabbath and Monday. At the close of the service on Monday morning fourteen children were baptized; altogether the congregation have great reason for encouragement, and we hope their anticipations of future prosperity and usefulness may be fully realized.

An Appeal for Aid.

The membership and Trustees of Brown A. M. E Chapel, which is situated on the corner of Boyle and Hemlock streets, Allegheny, have, after prayerful consideration, concluded to appeal to all the Evangelical churches of Allegheny, Pittsburgh and vicinity, for collections in order to enable them to cancel a debt of $7,000, which they owe on the edifice.

The total cost of the ground and church was $15,000. Of this amount $8,000 have been collected and paid, leaving a balance of $7,000 still due.

With a view to securing the sympathy and aid of the churches, circular letters have been prepared and will be sent to the pastors and official boards of the various churches, asking a collection on the sacred ground of duty to God, and charity for those who are struggling to plant the Gospel of Christ into the immortal souls of His children.

But for the fact that the gentleman who holds the mortgage will foreclose it, if something is not soon done to give him a reasonable re-assurance that it will soon be paid, the church would not adopt the plan of appealing to the churches, but under this peculiar demand, no other alternative is left it.

Moses Howard, Alfred Stuts, George Dunmy, Henry Jones, Daniel Smallwoods, Isaac Brown, Andrew Quinn, Henry W. D. Bones—Trustees.
Thomas Roach, Secretary of Board.
W. H. Brown, Pastor.

The Exchange National Bank.

The new banking house of the Exchange National Bank, of which a description appeared in our last issue was visited by hundreds of ladies and gentlemen yesterday, whose unanimous opinion seemed to be that even all that had been said in its praise, fell rather within, than beyond the mark. The discriminating commendation bestowed upon the edifice and its superb appointments, was an interesting attestation, that art in architecture, has many appreciative admirers in our severely practical, but always progressive community.

In our notice of the building, among the list of artizans, we neglected to mention that the marble work, tile, &c., was made by Mr. P. C. Reniers, and the gas fitting, plumbing, &c., done by Messrs. Houston & Co., all of this city. A special feature in regard to the plumbing is that no lead pipe is used, but that the new style of composition brass pipe takes its place. This new pipe is the favorite with builders now and is found in all the best buildings.

The list of Directors of the bank, as given, seems to have been that of a former year, and contained an inaccuracy, in that the name of Mr. Sampson appeared in place of Mr. C. B. Herron. The true list comprises the following gentlemen: Messrs. John H. Shoenberger, David McCandless, Harvey Childs, Mark W. Watson, Thomas M. Howe, Alexander Chambers, Benjamin Bakewell, Jr., William Means, Frank S. Bissell, John H. Dalzell, Calvin Wells, Charles H. Zug, C. B. Herron.

DISCHARGED.

The Case of Mr. S. R. McLean—Nothing Proven Against Him.

Mr. S. R. McLean who was brought from New York on a requisition a few days ago, on a charge of forgery preferred against him by Mr. John H. Garrard, of this city, and noticed at that time in the GAZETTE had a hearing yesterday before Alderman Black. As there was nothing produced in evidence to show Mr. McLean guilty of the crime charged, he was promptly acquitted, and the prosecution was reprimanded for instituting groundless proceedings.

DIRECTORS ELECTED.

Annual Meeting of the Pennsylvania Company.

Yesterday afternoon the stockholders of the Pennsylvania Company held a meeting in the office of Secretary, W. H. Barnes. The attendance was small and Mr. Thomas A. Scott was unavoidably absent. A Board of Directors, as follows, was elected: Thos. A. Scott, George B. Roberts, H. H. Houston, R. J. Jewett, J. N. McCullough, Wm. Thaw and Edmund Smith. Mr. Smith, it will be seen, is the only new member chosen. No business of importance otherwise was transacted. The meeting was adjourned till the 15th instant, when some interesting matters will come up for discussion.

COWARDLY ASSAULT.

A Villain Knocks a Young Lady Down on the Public Street.

On Monday evening about eight o'clock, a young woman named Williams, while going up Federal street, Allegheny, was accosted by a ruffian who threw his arms around her neck, which she promptly resented. Finding he could not accomplish his infamous designs, he knocked the young lady down and struck her, and after kicking her severely in the stomach, ran away. The unfortunate girl staggered to her feet and was assisted to her home on Graham's alley, in the Second ward, where Dr. Kirker was summoned. Last evening her condition was reported as rather serious. The coward who assaulted her is unknown, having succeeded in making his escape.

For Fine Glass Ware,

Table Cutlery, Silver Plated Ware, Fine Vases, Tea Trays, &c., go to R. E. Breed & Co., 100 Wood street. ws

ALLEGHENY SCHOOLS.

Meeting of Controllers Last Night—New Teachers Elected—Collection of Delinquent Taxes—Salaries for the Ensuing Year—The Request of a Representative of Temperance Refused.

A regular meeting of the Board of School Controllers of Allegheny City was held last night in the Common Council chamber, Rev. Joseph King presiding. The following gentlemen were present at roll call: Messrs. Ashworth, Beckert, Brown, Benney, Burchfield, Barclay, Craig, Chambers, Dunlap, Donaldson, Davidson, Patton, Golden, Hobson, Hemphill, Hartman, Haworth, Hamilton, Hay, Hubbard, Lea, Lorenz, R. C. Miller, Marthens, P. H. Miller, Moore, McCance, Patterson, Park, Riggs, Ritenour, Sprague, Smith, Slack, Torrence, Walton, Young and President King.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

THE INEVITABLE TEMPERANCE QUESTION.

Miss Haller, from the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, appeared before the Board and stated that it was the intention to hold a County Temperance Convention on the 24th and 25th of this month, and requested the Board to close the schools of Allegheny city on the afternoon of the 24th, in order that the children might attend the convention as that afternoon was to be devoted exclusively to them.

The matter was laid over to come up again when new business was presented.

Mr. Hubbard reported the election of Miss Annie Ingram as teacher in the Grammar Department of the Eleventh ward, and of Miss Fannie Orr in the first Primary Department. Mr. Donaldson stated that Miss Hattie McIlree had been elected in the Sixth ward to fill the vacancy caused by the death of one of the teachers. All the elections were approved.

Mr. Hobson submitted the following:

To the Board of Controllers: Your Committee on Finance met on May 20th, to consider the papers referred to them at the last meeting of the Board. The communication from the Controller, notifying the Board that the Finance Committee of Councils had fixed the amount required of this Board for collecting the school taxes for the year 1873, at $1,500, was first considered, and with the understanding that the above amount includes the extending of the taxes in the duplicate and all other expenses incurred in said collections, we agreed to recommend a warrant for that amount in favor of the City Treasurer. With regard to the paper showing the arrearages of the collectors of delinquent taxes, your committee passed the following resolution and recommend its adoption by the Board:

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board be instructed to notify all the collectors to make immediate settlement of all delinquent taxes for 1872-3, and also to notify them that if this notice is disregarded their bondsmen will be notified and their duplicates demanded.

The Finance Committee also appointed a sub-committee, consisting of Messrs. Dunlap, Craig and Hobson, to ascertain the amount of liquor fines due this Board from the business of the Mayor's office.

The report and accompanying resolution were adopted.

The Committee on Rules and Regulations reported two new rules, which were adopted.

TEACHER'S SALARIES—MUSIC.

Dr. Riggs, from the Committee on Teachers and Salaries, presented a report recommending that the salaries of the teachers for the ensuing year be the same as last year, and also that the teachers of music be relieved from teaching music in the primary departments, excepting to give any necessary instruction to teachers in said department; also that the teachers in the primary rooms be required to give daily instruction and exercise in music.

The first part of the report was adopted and the balance of it was referred to the Committee on Special Instruction.

Dr. Riggs also offered another report, recommending that hereafter the election of all teachers in the different wards should be approved by the Committee on Teachers and Salaries, before being confirmed by the Board of Control.

The document was laid over for one month.

A number of bills were presented, approved and ordered to be paid.

Mr. Smith, of the Third ward, reported the election of Miss Amanda Rollins to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Annie Ingram. Approved.

ATTENDANCE OF PUPILS.

City Superintendent Davis submitted his report of the attendance of scholars for the month of May as follows.

Total enrollment	8,563
Average attendance	6,972
Per cent of attendance	82
Highest per cent of attendance attained by one teacher	98
No. of pupils not absent	2,163
No. of parents visits	194
No. of directors visits	270
No. of Superintendents visits	31
No. of teachers	179
No. of music teachers	2

The pay roll for the month of May, amounting to $10,525.00, was read by the Secretary, and also a statement that the amount of funds in the Depository to the credit of the Board on the first day of June was $1,331 25.

A TEMPERANCE DISCUSSION.

The request of Miss Haller for the closing of the schools on the 24th came up, and Mr. Golden moved that it be granted.

Quite unexpectedly to some, no doubt, the motion elicited a warm discussion. Mr. Hay stated that the Board had no right to close the schools for the purpose of affording the children an opportunity to attend the proposed convention. It would be setting a bad precedent, and the same request could be made with as much grace when the Democratic Convention assembled.

Mr. Golden was the warmest advocate of granting the lady's request, and he urged that the schools be closed in behalf of the temperance cause, which, he said, was the great over shadowing question of the hour. He was supported by Messrs. Marthens and Walton, the latter claiming that inasmuch as Good Friday and Decoration day had been made legal holidays, it would be well enough to have a temperance holiday, which he was certain would do more good than any of the others.

Mr. Smith supported the position taken by Mr. Hay, and said that although he was a friend of temperance, he would not vote to close the schools in behalf of any convention.

Mr. Ritenour stated that if any member of the Board desired his children to attend the Convention it was his privilege to keep them from school and his right to send them to the Convention if he deemed proper, but that the Board had no right to recognize by officially closing the schools any public assemblage either of a political or social nature.

After some further discussion the question came to a vote and Mr. Golden demanding the ayes and nays, the result was as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Davidson, Golden, Hamilton, Hubbard, McCance, Patterson, Marthens and Walton—10.

Nays—Messrs. Ashworth, Beckert, Brown, Benney, Burchfield, Barclay, Chambers, Dunlap, Patton, Hobson, Hanny, Hemphill, Hartman, Haworth, Hay, Lea, Lorenz, R. C. Miller, Riggs, Ritenour, Sprague, Smith, Slack, Young and President King—25.

The request was not granted, and the Board adjourned.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Filed for Record.

The following deeds were filed in the Recorder's office on Monday:

George B. Menos to Hugh Stewart, July 5, 1850, piece of ground containing six acres, ninety-five perches, in Moon township. Price..$415.

John McMustrie to Hugh Stewart, March 13, 1852, piece of ground containing thirty-four acres, in Moon township. Price......$1260.

Nancy Barber to George Illig, April 22, 1874, piece of ground containing four acres, one hundred and thirty perches, in Indiana township. Price......$500

Felix Christman to Rt. Rev. M Domenec, May 2, 1874, six lots 130x24 feet, on Hooker street, Millvale. Price......$1.

The city of Allegheny to Felix Christman, September 6, 1873, same. Price......$1,777.

John W. Watt et al. to George A. Lashel, May 26, 1874, lot, 148x215 feet in Moon township. Price......$600.

E. Clay to T. Cashman, July 6, 1872, lot 20x89 feet, Thirteenth ward, city. Price......$500

F. L. Rambow to T. M. Marshall, October 1, 1873, two lots 40x40 feet, on Arthur street, Eleventh ward, city. Price......$1.

T. M. Marshall to Gibson Playney, May 21, 1874, two lots 40x46 feet, on Wylie avenue, Eleventh ward, city. Price......$1,650.

J. U. Barr to W. J. Means, April 18, 1874, lot 20x100 feet, on Lithgow street, Second ward, Allegheny. Price......$750.

David Shearing to John Belcher, February 28, 1874, lot 116x11 feet, in Lower St. Clair township. Price......$1,200.

Hermann Wicht to S. Treaver McClurg, May 24, 1871, piece of ground containing four acres and eighty-eight perches, in Ross township. Price......$4000.

Henry Nevergall to Wm. Schreer, May 16, 1874, piece of ground containing one acre and sixty-three perches, in East Deer township. Price......$1,200

T. B. Cook to George Mars, July 22, 1873, lot 69x30 feet, on Sixth street, McKeesport. Price......$550.

C. Hanson Love to Kate McArminch, April 1, 1870, two lots 50x100 feet, on Virginia avenue, Chartiers township. Price......$300.

E. P. Jones to H. M. Neel, July 26, 1872, piece of ground containing eighty-nine acres and sixty six perches, in Mifflin township. Price......$1

G. S. Fulmer to Thomas Campbell, May 1, 1874, three lots 124x150 feet, on Beltler street, Twentieth ward, city. Price......$472

Joseph Woodwell to John Beecher, May 11, 1874, lot 99x117 feet, on Evans street, Twentieth ward, city. Price......$3,600.

Wm. McClurg to Peter Heesom, June 14, 1873, lot 24x110 feet in Twenty-seventh city. Price......$600.

A. B. Pearson to T. Stewart, April 20, 1874, piece of ground in Ross township. Price......$6,600

Wm. McCune to Eliza Ann Donnelan, April 2, 1874, lots Nos. three and four in block thirty four, plan of Buena Vista. Price $1,900.

Wm. Wilson to Mrs. Mary Wilson, April 16, 1874, lot 20x100 feet on Arch street, Second ward, Allegheny. Price......$6,000.

Alex. Lane to Charlotte McCaffrey May 8, 1874, lot 20x60 feet on North alley, Third ward, Allegheny. Price......$2,500.

OUR LOCAL INSPECTORS.

Licenses Issued and Boats Inspected Last Month—Investigations.

During the month of May the Local Inspectors of this port issued licenses to twelve masters, eight mates, seven pilots, twelve first engineers and three second engineers. In the same time nine steamboats were inspected. On Thursday next the Inspectors will commence an investigation into the cause of the collision that occurred on the 27th ult. between the steam tug boat James Caldwell, with flat and tow, and the ferry boat Cussewago. The accident occurred in the harbor, below the ferry landing at the Point, and the Cussewago had about twenty feet of its side caved in. There is also a probability of an investigation by the Inspectors into the matter of the drowning on Saturday last, in the Allegheny river, of the three Mehrlen brothers. They closely watched the developments made at the inquest held by the Coroner, and are inclined to the opinion that the officers of the tow boat "Is. Keefer," which struck the skiff in which the lads were, are not to blame for the accident.

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BREVITIES.

Paragraphic Pencilings of Passing Events.

····Pickpockets are plenty on outgoing trains at the Union Depot.

····Prothonotary Kennedy is having his "back office" gorgeously decorated.

····The Fort Wayne Railroad shops in Allegheny are running on the eight hour system.

····The indications are that the Fire Commission was slightly skinned when it bought the Skinner truck.

····Pittsburgh is lousy with pickpockets, and men carrying large or small sums of money had better keep their pockets buttoned.

····The grass plots in the Court House yard are being enclosed with slight paling fences, to keep bipeds and quadrupeds off them.

····On Monday night Daniel Emmett was shot at Parker City by Thomas Hill, and very dangerously wounded in the abdomen.

····The Allegheny School Controllers refused to close the school to permit the children to attend the coming Temperance Convention.

····A six year old son of Jacob Alex, of the South Side, had his arm fractured yesterday by falling out of a tree at Brownstown Pond.

····A successful temperance meeting was held in Brown's Chapel, corner of Hemlock and Boyle streets, Allegheny, on Monday evening.

····The renumbering of Fifth avenue has been commenced by the contractors, R. C. & C. Patterson (civil engineers), and will be finished this week.

····The Twenty-eighth ward schools have no principal, owing to the resignation of Prof. Jones, who has accepted that position in the Twenty-ninth ward.

····The cost of the talked of tunnel under the Monongahela river from the Point to the South Side, is estimated at $400,000, exclusive of damage to property.

····A slight fire on the roof of a dwelling on Twentieth street, South Side, yesterday morning, called an alarm from box 147. A few pails of water squelched the flames.

····The Woolen Mills of the Keystone Woolen Manufacturing Co., in New Brighton Pa., will be sold at auction on Wednesday June 10th by order of Milton Townsend, Assignee.

····The suit between the Pennsylvania and Connellsville railroads for the possession of the Mt. Pleasant & Broadford branch came up for trial again yesterday at Greensburg.

······Beaver county supports ten banking institutions. They are distributed as follows: Beaver, 2; Rochester, 2; Freedom, 1; New Brighton, 2; Beaver Falls, 3. Total, 10.

····There will be a grand Masonic demonstration at Wellsville, Ohio, June 23d, and the probabilities just now are that Pittsburgh and Allegheny will be largely represented in the affair.

····The Allegheny crusaders did some outdoor work yesterday on the upper portion of Ohio street. They were followed by a pretty noisy crowd, but nothing unpleasant occurred.

····Ostwein's case was before the Grand Jury yesterday and a number of witnesses were examined. The indications are that his trial will not take place until the county conventions are over.

····The Bedford District, Twenty-ninth ward schools, have chosen Prof. Benjamin Jones Principal and Chas. Evans, Esq., to represent them in the Central Board. All the old teachers were re-elected.

····Mrs. Hart, a German lady, residing on Colwell street, had her pocket picked of $60 on the Buffalo express yesterday morning in the Union Depot, by three men, who jostled against her.

····An awful mare's nest was discovered by the *Leader* yesterday in its imaginary unearthing of a deficiency of a million dollars in city funds. It's consoling to know that its sensations never bear probing.

····The tide of emigration westward continues large. This evening twenty cars containing one thousand emigrants will pass through the city, coming from New York *via* the Pennsylvania Railroad.

····The returns of a number of county officers for the last month, as made to Controller Warner, are as follows: Clerk Hilands, $314 50; Register Gray, $413; Sheriff Hare, $1,772 28; Coroner McCallin, $304.85.

····Mary Schiedel charges before Mayor Fleming, John Huss with assault and battery. She states that Huss is her landlord, and that he dragged her husband out on the street, while he was lying sick with typhoid fever.

····'Squire Graham, of Allegheny, yesterday disposed of a number of liquor cases brought before him by Mr. Ross. Some of the accused gave bail for Court, while others paid the costs of prosecution, and were told "to go and sin no more."

····The resolutions adopted by the Allegheny police force, relative to the death of Mayor Callow, have been beautifully lithographed and placed in a handsome frame by the members. They were hung up in the Mayor's office yesterday afternoon.

····The roof of Milliken's Cabinet factory on Bidwell, at the foot of Cabinet street, Allegheny, was set on fire yesterday afternoon by some sparks, but it was extinguished before much damage was done and without calling out the department.

····An old man named Huston was relieved of his pocket book containing twenty-five dollars and a railroad ticket East, on the Fast Line in the Union Depot, on Monday night. Mr. H. was from Texas. There was also a draft for $150 in the purse.

····Some pitiful thief broke into a room in the third story of Municipal Hall, used as a dressing room by the women employed in cleaning, and stole fifteen dollars; five from Mrs. Tarr and ten from Mrs. Carrol. No pains should be spared to catch such a thief.

····Yesterday morning three men entered Rinehart's Hotel, on Smithfield street, and while the wife of the proprietor was amused by a seeming attempt at the confidence game, one of the three slipped up stairs and "captured" a watch and nine dollars in cash. The three then left.

····Yesterday morning the body of Charles Mehrlen, the last of the three boys who were drowned on Saturday last, was recovered near the Point by Mr. John Kane, a laborer at the Clinton Iron Works. Coroner McCallin was notified, but he thought it unnecessary to hold an inquest.

····August Shuck was acquitted of a charge of highway robbery, brought against him on Monday, by Adolphe Muhlstein. In a hearing before Alderman Koenig the testimony indicated that the accused could not have been guilty and that the accuser was feeling too salubrious to notice such a trivial matter as the loss of his $75.

····On Decoration day a young man named Ellsworth Shively, who lives at Brownsville, Pa., had his right hand torn off by the premature discharge of a cannon he was engaged in loading and firing. His breast, neck and face were severely burned by the powder, and his right eye so seriously injured that he may lose the sight of it. His arm was amputated below the elbow.

····The Allegheny Schindery went into operation yesterday. Dead felines and purps will now have to notify the Health officer ere they "kick the bucket" or some of their friends must do it; and then Dr. Czarnicke, the Fallmaster, will come with his little carts and the carcasses will be turned to gelatine; and, as a result, boarding house residents will be treated with extra dishes of jelly this summer, which will now, in consequence, be cheaper and easier to make.

PERSONAL.

***Mr. D. B. Moore the well-known cooperage broker, left for Colorado on Monday. Mr. Moore expects to be absent about four weeks.

***Rev. Alexander Clark, who returned quite ill of brain fever from his Southern tour is, we are glad to learn, convalescing, and will soon again be at his post of duty.

***Mr Henry Nebaum, boss of the discharging platform of the C. & P. freight depot, on Penn street, left for Wisconsin on Saturday last, to visit some friends. Mr. N. is one of the most obliging and faithful men in the employ of the C. & P. Company.

***Joseph W. Wilson, Esq., Chief Engineer, and Clinton Gardner, Esq., General Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, arrived in this city yesterday, to confer with the Ellsworth avenue Commissioners in regard to the bridge to be erected on that thoroughfare, and other bridges to be built within the city by the company.

***The Governor yesterday appointed Dr. W. C. Shurlock, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, Surgeon in Chief of the 19th Division, National Guard of Pennsylvania, with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. This is a good appointment and we congratulate the Doctor on his promotion. He will no doubt discharge the duties of Surgeon-in-Chief as well as he did those of Chief Clerk.—*Harrisburg Telegraph.*

FATAL RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.

A Little Boy Almost Instantly Killed.

Shortly after four o'clock yesterday afternoon a runaway accident occurred in Allegheny, which resulted in the killing of a little ten year old boy, named James Tannehill. It seems that the lad had been left in charge of a horse and wagon, which was standing in front of his father's shop, on North alley, in the rear of the Franklin Savings Bank, and he started to drive away, when the horse became frightened and started to run off. Just as it was turning the corner on Federal street in front of Semple's building the wagon struck a post and was upset, the boy falling underneath, being dragged some distance before the horse was stopped, when the wagon was turned over and the boy, who was insensible, lifted up, and conveyed into Dr. Ure's office. The Doctor not being in he was removed to the office of Dr. Buchanan, where he breathed his last before anything could be done for him. He had sustained a severe wound in the left cheek, and the side of his skull had been crushed in. The body was removed to his late home on North Diamond near Sandusky street, where Coroner McCallin held an inquest, when the above facts were elicited. Dr. Buchanan gave it as his opinion that the child died of concussion of the brain, and a verdict in accordance was rendered.

A PECULIAR RESULT.

How John Breen Didn't Take Archy Campbell Home.

Last evening a young man named John Breen started to take Archy Campbell home. Archy having taken most too much tanglefoot aboard, and being rather unsteady; but before he got him to his abode Archy had induced John to take several drinks out of his bottle, and the result was that John got "tight" and both were arrested. At the hearing last evening Archy told the Mayor how it had occurred that John got drunk, and to punish him (Archy) for both, as he was to blame, and proceeded to make a lengthy speech to his Honor, who finally imposed a fine of one dollar and costs on John and sentenced Archy ninety days to the Work House. Archy was highly delighted with his sentence, but said he did not think it would do him much good.

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THE COURTS.

YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

United States District Court.

[*Before Judge McCandless.*]

In the matter of J. S. Roup, bankrupt, it appearing that said bankrupt has in all things conformed to the requirements of the act, it was ordered that he be discharged from all his debts, except such as are by law excepted.

District Court.

[*Before Judges Ewing, Kirkpatrick and White.*]

The case of Orange Judd & Co. vs. A. J. Nellis & Co. An action to recover for advertising, is on trial before Judge Kirkpatrick.

In the case of Wm. M. Logan vs. James B. Murray, the jury found for plaintiff in the sum of $259 30.

In the case of McQuiston & Craft vs. Reese & Co., the jury found for plaintiffs in the sum of $4,714 34.

The case of McCullough & Smith vs. John I. and Annie Flood, is on trial.

George W. Osmond filed a petition for a writ of *habeas corpus* directed to Superintent Avery of the Pennsylvania Reform School. On the 20th of April, 1872, he represents that his daughter, Frances Osmond, aged nineteen years, was committed to this institution by the late Mayor Callow, of Allegheny City, without sufficient cause, and she is now illegally detained there. Her discharge is asked on the ground that the record in the Allegheny Mayor's office is defective. Judge Kirkpatrick granted a writ of *habeas corpus* and made it returnable Thursday, June 11, at 10 A. M.

Trial List for Friday.

McClean's assignee vs. Schoonmaker. (2)
Same vs. same.
Freil vs. Connor.
Scully in trust vs. Fowler.
National Tube Works Co. vs. City Insurance Co.
Same vs. Pittsburgh Insurance Co. (2)
Halliday vs. Irwin.
Andrews vs. P. C. & St. L. R. R. Co.
Grove vs. Street & Co.
Wolf vs. Fairman et al.

Common Pleas Court.

(*Before Judge Collier.*)

The case of Lewis T. Watson vs. Jno. Franz, previously reported, terminated in the afternoon in a verdict for plaintiff for $4,686.72.

The case of the Pennsylvania R. R. Co. vs. Edward J. Waring, surviving partner of the firm of Lafferty & Waring, is on trial. This is an action of trover and conversion to recover the value of two car loads of oil.

Trial List for To day.

No. 55. Tradesman's National Bank vs. Jno. Neish & Bros.
No. 77. Bracken vs. Bates.
No. 80. Biggert vs. Rothe.
No. 91. Keystone Flint Glass Manufacturing Co. vs. Central Trading Co.
No. 93. Mellon vs. Wilson, admr.
No. 87. Smith vs. E. B. Bell.
No. 99. Kreeling vs the "Comet" et al.
No. 100. The Com. etc. vs. McDowell.
No. 101. Bell exr. vs Cooper.
No. 102. Claflin & Co. vs. Fullerton admr.
No. 103. Rhoads vs. Brown admr.
No. 105. Morrissey vs. Howard.
No. 106. McClintock Jr. & Co's. vs. Campbell et al.
No. 107. Horner, Wood & Co. vs. Hyde, Bradley & Co.
No. 108. Blood vs. Lewis.
No. 109. Hutchinson vs. Williams & Co.

Criminal Court.

[*Before Judge Stowe.*]

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. John and Patrick Smith, there was a *nolle prosequi* entered as to Patrick, and John plead guilty to selling liquor without license, and was fined $50 and costs.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. Christian Ross, charged with embezzlement, a *nolle prosequi* was allowed on the ground that there was no allegation that the act was fraudulently committed.

Thomas Benton was acquitted of a charge of receiving stolen goods preferred by W. C. Mackenzie.

In the case of Henry Fletcher of Sharpsburg, charged with selling liquor to an habitual drunkard, the defendant was acquitted, the Judge stating that had he been served with a written notice instead of a verbal one, warning him not to sell the liquor, he should have been convicted.

Trial List for To day.

Commonwealth vs.

Jas. DeWitt.	Hester Shelley.
Thomas Mann.	G. C. Lighteap.
Jas. Cotton.	Jas. E. Marsh, et al.
Lena Hoffman.	Jas. Post.
Frank McGaw.	

AMUSEMENTS.

PITTSBURGH OPERA HOUSE.—Simmons & Slocum's minstrels last evening, on their second appearance, were greeted with a full house. This is just the season for light amusement, and none can produce minstrelsy better than this monster troupe. The act of the "Two Senators" is enough to keep one laughing for a month at the thoughts of the absurdity of it. The quartette is as good as could well be gotten together, and the company, one and all, are first-class artists, who produce a choice programme of minstrelsy, which is well worth witnessing. Box office is open all day for the securing of seats.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Stetson's Novelty Company were greeted by a full house last evening, and the programme produced was fully equal to that of the previous night. Luke Schoolcraft was as funny as ever, and Gus Williams gave his songs in his usual inimitable manner. Master Barney and Sam Rickey made their first appearance in a funny act, which would be much better appreciated if it were toned down and made considerably shorter, as there can be, even too much of a good thing. Messrs. Maffitt and Bartholomew were droll as ever, and Mr. McAndrew's "Watermelon Man," and the entire programme was much enjoyed. This afternoon a grand matinee for the accommodation of ladies and children will be given.

LIBRARY HALL.—The Pittsburgh Amateur Dramatic Club gave an exhibition last evening, at Library Hall, which was attended by a select and highly appreciative audience. Banin's famous play of "Damon and Pythias" formed the programme, and it was performed in a highly entertaining manner. The parts of "Damon," "Pythias," "Dionysius," "Philistius," "Procles," "Damocles" and "Lucullus" were represented by Messrs. Stine, McClure, Johnson, Hutchison, Logan, McLaughlin and Downs, in the order named, quite satisfactorily. Miss Wilmot, Miss Foster and Miss Hattie Irving, of the Opera House company, very materially and acceptably assisted the amateurs by personating "Colanthe," "Hermion," and the child. Although not on the bills, an amusing after piece was performed, which, notwithstanding its brevity, was immensely enjoyable. When the Club next appears on the mimic stage, may we be there to see.

MARTIN'S VARIETY THEATRE.—This afternoon there will be a grand matinee at this popular resort, when a good bill will be provided for the patrons. This evening, besides, a drama, a good variety programme will be produced. The prices of admission here are on a popular scale, 10 25 cents, and the theatre is ventilated by sixty-two windows.

THE SMITH PIPE CONTRACT.

Answer to the McCarthy Bill in Equity.

Yesterday in the Common Pleas Court, Wm. Smith, R. H. Smith and Henry W. Smith filed an answer to the bill in equity of Wm. C. McCarthy against the city of Pittsburgh, Mayor, Controller, Treasurer, Water Committee, et al., to prevent the payment to Wm. Smith & Sons of a large amount of money on the pipe contract. The respondents deny that the complainant has any peculiary interest in the matter alleged, sufficient to justify the interference of a court of equity in his behalf. They are informed and believe he is not the owner of any real estate; that his business is not taxable by law, and that his personal tax for city purposes does not exceed the sum of five dollars per annum. The allegations of paragraph seven were true at the date of the filing of the bill; but since that date, Wm. Smith has received from the city on account of indebtedness $292,734 22, which was paid by order of Councils, who, at the same time adopted a resolution, confirming and ratifying the contract made with Wm. Smith by the Water Commission, and Wm. Smith has since that date furnished castings on account of said contract. The illegality of the Water Commission and insolvency of Wm. Smith are denied, and in answer to the allegation that R. H. Smith was interested in the contract, the respondents deny that said contract was, in point of fact, made with the said William, Roland H. and Henry W. Smith, or that the said Roland H., Henry W. Smith, or either of them, were, directly or indirectly, interested in the profits, or advantages of said contract, or that they, or either of them, have since become so interested, and then further alleges that the Councils of said city of Pittsburgh, after investigation, found that said Roland H. Smith was not interested in said contract." The charge that the contract was illegal on account of R. H. Smith being a Councilman is denied, and the defense, it is claimed, can only be made by the corporation.

THE FEMALE DETECTIVE ABDUCTED.

Highway Robbery on the Monongahela River.

In yesterdays issue we referred to the abduction of Mrs. Emma Emmett, the Female Detective, by four men who got her in a skiff and took her across the Monongahela river, though for what purpose was not then exactly known. Yesterday, however, developed the matter and furnished the names of the men who figured in the affair. The feminine detective, who has a decidedly masculine cast of features, is well known in police circles in this city. The men with whom she took the moonlight pleasure ride on the briny waters on Monday night are Jos. Cain, Pat. Keeney, Jerry King and Tim. Derigan. The excursion was evidently not as felicitous as it might have been, for yesterday Mrs. Emmett made information before Deputy Mayor Grier, of Temperanceville, charging each of the men named with highway robbery and rape. They were arrested, and in default of one thousand dollars bail each were committed to jail for trial. Another information was subsequently made before Alderman McMasters, charging Cain with felonious assault and battery, and an additional commitment was lodged against him.

Duryeas' famous "Satin Gloss Starch" is now for sale in Pittsburgh. This article has taken the first prize medals in Europe and the United States whenever placed in competition with other starch. Its peculiar qualities will at once be understood by all good housekeepers when tested, it being snow white, perfectly pure, and stronger than any other starch. The superior strength and beautiful clear finish it gives to the linen, makes it not only the most economical but the most desirable for all who use starch.

European Steamship Arrivals Yesterday.

A dispatch received at Max Schamberg's European Steamship, Exchange and Telegraph office at No. 162 Smithfield street, announces the arrival of the Steamer Greece, at New York; City of Limerick, at New York; City of Richmond, at Liverpool; Alexandria, at Greenock; Franklin, at Antwerp.

THE CRUSADE.

A Large Meeting at Hazlewood Last Night—Meeting of the W. C. T. U.

As was previously announced, the citizens of Hazlewood assembled in the Christian Church, in the Twenty-third ward, to hold a temperance meeting. Mr. Jno. F. Scott, presided. Half an hour was devoted to prayer, after which the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Mrs. Robinson, Gormley and Johnston were advertised to address the meeting, but the two first named ladies were absent, circumstances over which they had no control detaining them at home.

Mr. Hyde was called upon, and addressed the meeting, speaking in a spirited manner, giving words of encouragement. Mrs. Johnston, of the Central Alliance, next occupied the platform and said she not only looked upon this as a temperance revival, but a revival of the Church. Woman was created as man's help meet, but she had been called upon to save him. She thought man had but little money to give to buy the word of life, but they would take the clothes from off the backs of their children to procure a few glasses of liquor. She said it was not considered a fit place for a woman to go into a saloon, but she thought that man and wife were one flesh, and where one went the other should go. She believed in winning them over to the side of justice and right by love. No harsh words could save them. Some men thought liquor good in its place, but she did not think it good in any place. Any thing that will destroy both soul and body is not fit for the use of human beings. She believed in adding charity to temperance, and living by faith. She had no bitterness against the Acting Mayor, because she believed his acts to be God's will and had made them many friends. She thought Columbus gave this country to God when he discovered it, but those who have peopled it since have snatched it from his hands and given it to Satan. She thought the churches were making a great mistake. They were holding festivals, theatres, and ice cream suppers, claiming that they wished to promote sociability, but it only lasts as long as the ice cream is in the mouth, and as soon as they step in the street the ladies will not even look at the working man. She thought the cities had made a mistake in electing men to office who did not understand the law, but she thanked God that the courts had men who decided in favor of justice. She closed her remarks by exhorting parents to teach their sons and daughters virtue, honesty, truth, and setting a good example before them.

Senator Anderson gave an account of the visit of the ladies of Pittsburgh to Harrisburg which was well received.

He thought their visit to the Capitol conducive of much good as he believed it had much to do with the failure of the Manufacturers and Brewers' bill in the House, which he declared both infamous and outrageous. He thought the temperance movement was doing much to unite the church, that ere long all demonstrations would be one in belief and purpose.

After announcing a prayer meeting at three o'clock to-morrow, to be held in the Presbyterian church and circulating the pledges for additional signatures, the meeting adjourned.

THE W. C. T. U.

A regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held at the Smithfield street M. E. Church. The attendance was not as large as at some previous meetings, but the workers gave no evidence of a lack of enthusiasm. Reports were heard from different sections, and brief addresses made, principally by ladies. The meeting was in session about an hour, and was occupied with the reports and discussions,—no plan for future operations being named.

CRUSADING AT NIGHT.

Bands of the crusaders were out in both cities last night, and so far as we could learn were not molested—although they were in nearly every instance refused admission to the saloons.

CITY SURVEYS.

A Large Amount of Important Business Transacted Yesterday.

The Survey Committee of Councils held a regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon in the Common Council chamber. The petition for a change of grade on Black alley, was referred to the Street Committee, that being the proper place for it.

An ordinance repealing an ordinance establishing the width of Hiland avenue, from Fifth avenue to the Water Works was affirmatively recommended.

The City Engineer was ordered to make a survey for the location and opening of Charles street, and report a plan.

An ordinance for staking off on the ground, proposed grades or changes of grades, was ordered to be reported back to Councils with an affirmative recommendation.

A compromise ordinance was presented for a change of grade on Liberty avenue east of Thirty-third street. The original ordinance called for a fill of sixteen feet at Thirty-third street. Its opponents asked for a reduction of eight feet, which failed in Councils. This ordinance compromises on a fill of ten feet at that place moving out to a point at John street.

Mr. Fetterman moved to amend by making the fill twelve feet, which was lost, and the ordinance providing for a ten feet fill was approved.

Ordinances as follows were then approved and recommended to Councils for passage, viz: establishing the grade of Thirty-third street from Penn to Laurel avenue; establishing the grade of Stanton avenue; establishing the grade of Butler street extension; establishing the grade of Ridge street; vacating Coal street in the Thirteenth ward; relocating the intersection of Stanton and McCandless avenues; changing the grade of Stanton avenue at the culvert at the western side of Wayne street.

Mr Aull from the sub committee on the change of grade of Wylie avenue, reported in favor of changing the grade to conform with the rolling nature of the ground over which the avenue is laid out.

A motion was made to change the grade, which after considerable discussion was laid on the table.

Mr. Breed, of the sub committee on Grandview avenue, reported adversely to any change, except such a shifting of the line of the avenue as will give a solid road bed. This report was signed by only three members of the committee whereas the committee consists of seven members. Report received and filed and action was deferred until next meeting.

Mr. Morrison, from the sub-committee on the change of the location of Homewood avenue, reported in favor of referring the matter to the general committee. The matter was referred back to the sub-committee with instructions to report in writing at next meeting.

Mr. Fetterman presented a resolution instructing the Engineer to prepare plans and report the practicability of a tunnel from a point on Second avenue, near the Birmingham bridge, to a point on Fifth avenue extension. The said tunnel to be of sufficient height and width to accommodate street travel and drainage. Passed.

The pay roll of the survey department for May, amounting to $1,251 41, was read and approved.

A sub-committee was appointed on a change of grade on Lincoln avenue.

Ordinances were ordered for the establishment of grade on Lang avenue; location of East End avenue from Penn avenue to Biddle street; location of Second avenue extension from Biddle street to Salt Works.

On motion adjourned.

THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The Course of Instruction—The Changes Proposed.

The following is the report of the committee from the Faculty of the High School relative to a change in the course of study. The report goes to the Central Board of Education.

The committee to examine the course of study in our school report as follows:

"We have examined the course of study carefully, and have compared it with the courses of other High Schools. We find it well arranged and above the average in quality. We find that although some changes have been made in the course from year to year concerning the order in which studies are pursued, very little change has been made in the studies themselves, and Latin especially, has always been a prominent component part of the course, and no study has been provided for those who have been excused from the Latin. It is our opinion that such a study should be provided, and we suggest that it be the German language.

We suggest the following changes in the course as desirable:

I.—In the D year.—That Latin be elective with German. That physiology be introduced and a part of history be left until the C year.

II. In the "C" year. That Latin be elective with German; that history be completed, that mechanics be introduced, and that rhetoric be left for the "A" year.

III. In the "B" year, That English Literature be substituted for those who have not studied Latin, and that Physiology be carried to the "D" year.

IV. In the "A" year, That mental and moral science (political economy) and surveying be made elective with either Latin or commencing German; that rhetoric be introduced from the "C" year. Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES B. WOOD,
H. W. BANCROFT,
JENNIE RALSTON,
C. C. COCHRAN,
Committee.

ALLEGHENY CITY PROPERTY.

Meeting of the Committee Last Evening.

The Committee on City Property of Allegheny Councils met last evening, chairman George R. Cochran presiding.

The assistant Janitor was directed to assist the Janitor every Monday morning in cleaning the yards around the city Building, and the windows in the city Building.

It was decided to set apart the north west corner room in the new building for the use of the city Solicitor.

On motion the sub committee on building was directed to fit up all the rooms in the new part of the city Building, and to have all work done, necessary to put the same, and the yard around it, in proper condition.

It was decided to pay $1,500 to Messrs McIntire and Trimble & Co., on their contract for erecting the new addition.

On motion, the contract for placing a new gravel roof on the Market House was awarded to Messrs. Lupton & Co., provided that firm will give good security to keep the roof in good condition for ten years.

The Sub Committee on Market House was instructed to examine the rafters of that building, and have them repaired, if necessary.

The bill of Robert White for making alterations in the Postoffice, and for repairs in the lock-up was referred to the sub-committee.

The Controller was authorized to receive bids for furnishing ice for the city offices, and to award the contract to the lowest bidder.

The bill of Messrs Bridge & Bowman for placing a sewer in the Troy Hill Engine House, amounting to $81 24, was referred to the Controller to be paid if correct.

A large number of bills were approved and ordered to be paid, among which was the bill for carpeting the city offices amounting to $553 27, and the bill for chairs and tables amounting to $358 50.

Adjourned.

Kenwood with shady lawn, ice and spring water, is open again for summer boarders. Terms reasonable. Address CHAS. JACOBUS, New Brighton, Pa. TTHS

OBITUARY.

Death of Hon. N. P. Fetterman.

Yesterday afternoon a feeling of genuine sorrow was created in the general community by the announcement of the demise of the Hon. N. P. Fetterman, one of our oldest and most highly esteemed citizens. The sad event occurred at the late residence of the deceased, on Third avenue, at half-past four o'clock in the afternoon, and was somewhat specially notable from the fact that he had just completed the allotted years of life,—being but a few months over seventy years of age.

The deceased was born February 4, 1804, in this county, and after spending the early years of his life in preparatory study, was admitted to the bar August 14, 1825. Subsequently he went to reside in Bedford county, and about 1828 was sent to the Legislature—serving a term of three years in that body, being at the time its youngest member. Shortly after donning Legislative honors, he took up the common school question, and was active in the passage of the law concerning that beneficent measure. Later in his career, he transferred his legal attention to the counties of Beaver, Butler and Mercer, and soon took rank in them all, as one of the first lawyers of that time. He returned to Allegheny county in 1849, with legal experience and a high reputation, which gained him at once prominent recognition,—a place which he never lost in all the intervening years of his practice from that time until he gave up active service. At the time of his demise he was the oldest member of the Allegheny county Bar, Judge Veech coming next to him in years, and Robert Woods taking the third place. The estimation in which he was held by his colleagues was attested in the fact that for many years he was chairman of the Examing Committee on the admission of candidates to the Bar.

While thus faithfully attending to his legal duties, Mr. Fetterman did not forget the claims of politics, and always took an active interest in current political issues. His abilities and services were recognized by President Buchanan, who tendered him anything he would ask for, but his inclinations were not in that direction, and he refused to take political office.

When the war broke out Mr. Fetterman's patriotism was thoroughly aroused, and he gave his time and money and talent to aid the Government. He was a warm friend of Gov. Curtin and did much to aid him in the efforts put forth to make that war record of which every Pennsylvanian is proud. He was largely instrumental in the organization of the Plummer Guards, as well as other companies which went out to the field. Being by reason of age, not acceptable as a soldier, he was represented however in the ranks by two sons who went out in the 101st Penna. volunteers, and by a son-in-law who fell before Atlanta, Georgia. His sympathies were thoroughly aroused, and all that he could do he did, to bring about the triumph of the Union arms.

During the later years of his life Mr. Fetterman has not appeared much in public affairs, preferring to quietly pursue his profession, and give the battle to the younger generation. With increasing years, however, he gained still more the veneration and respect of all who knew him, and at the time of his death stood not only among the best known of our citizens, but was one of a number whose talents and character won universal esteem. He leaves several children, all of adult years, among whom is Mr. Charles S. Fetterman, a prominent member of the bar at the present time.

The Twenty-third Congressional District.

To the Editors of the Pittsburgh Gazette:

ALLEGHENY CITY.

As the time draws near for the meeting of the Republican Conventions, I have thought that I would drop you a line regarding the candidates for Congress in this district.

Emphatically of the two candidates named, and without anything to the disparagement of Col. Bayne, the popular feeling points to the nomination of Mr. Watson as the fittest and most proper to be made. By age, experience in life, education and practice as one of our leading lawyers for years past, Mr. Watson is well fitted for the position to which he aspires, while by his services to the party ever since it was formed he has fairly earned of it the nomination. Col. Bayne, though active in the ranks for a few years back, ought to be satisfied with the very fair show of the honors of the party which he has so far enjoyed, and should at least wait until he is fairly out of one office before he asks for another.

Some of the papers, I observe, insist that the nomination of Col. Bayne is a foregone conclusion; notably this has been for some time past the intimations of the "ring papers." Of course this is done for effect and to influence voters on next Saturday; no sensible thinking voter, however, will allow his action to be influenced by such announcements, but sometimes friends otherwise active are misled into inaction, because of loss of hope. If there are such let me say to them not to put on their coats, but keep them off and go ahead with the work. That is all that is necessary to nominate Alexander M. Watson, and that is not necessary with the people or wherever he is personally known. It is only necessary to thwart the workings of the Ring which curses the party in this county and which is fast loading it down. Alex. M. Watson is not now, never has been and never will be popular with the Ring. He is too manly and independent to suit the views of men who estimate their political friends only by their biddable capacity, and therefore to-day wherever the Ring strength exists there Alexander M. Watson is weak. Outside of the few wards in Allegheny City notably ruled over by *Pittsburgh City Hall politicians*, Mr. Watson's prospects on Convention day are of the very brightest kind. The people know him to be clear of and free from the political affiliations, which have grown and are daily growing so obnoxious to them, and in which his opponent, Colonel Bayne, is enthralled; they know him by his past life to be fearless, honest and upright, and recognizing his unquestioned ability, they see in his nomination the elevation of a good man, and the bursting of clique fetters hitherto and so long with gradually increasing impatience worn.

The efforts of his friends should not be relaxed on Saturday next, in giving a hearty support in all the precincts of the district to delegates known to be in his interest. So doing will insure his nomination, and thus possibly avoid the threatened—and, in the event of Col. Bayne's nomination,—the certain and serious bolt in the party ranks. It cannot be disguised, Messrs. Editors, and our nominating Conventions must take heed of it, that there is "music in the air" for the party this Fall, even in this the great Republican stronghold of the nation, in the event of improper or unfit nominations being made. And about no nomination, of all that are to be made next week, are the pipings of dissatisfaction and murmurings of rebellion heard with more clearness and distinctness than in a certain contingency with regard to the nomination for Congress for the

TWENTY THIRD DISTRICT.

Important to the Sensitive.

Persons with active brains and of a delicate organization should never be subjected to violent purgation or any other treatment calculated to prostrate them. Leeching, cupping, starving and intestinal rasping are of doubtful expediency in any case, but they are almost certain death to the sensitive and fragile. What such persons need is stimulation, and the very best invigorant they can take is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. To give depleting medicines to the nervous, the debilitated, the infirm, the emaciated, the desponding, is like firing broadsides into a sinking ship. Thousands of dyspeptics are killed every year by medicines that sap the physical and constitutional stamina which, if reinforced by that powerful vegetable tonic, would soon prove an overmatch for the disease. It is true that the bowels require to be relieved and regulated, and the liver controlled, as well as the stomach to be toned and the system strengthened, and let it be borne in mind that the Bitters accomplish these objects gently and surely.

MARRIED.

MACMILLAN—REDPATH—On Tuesday evening, June 2d, 1874, at the residence of the bride's parents, Freeport, Pa., by the Rev. W. Galbraith. JOS. B. MACMILLAN, of Allegheny City, and EMMA J., daughter of J. W. Redpath, Esq., of the former place. No cards.

DIED.

FETTERMAN—On Tuesday, June 2d, at 4½ P. M., at his residence, No. 172 Third avenue, Pittsburgh, N. P. FETTERMAN, Esq., in the 71st year of his age.

Notice of funeral in Thursday morning papers.

ELKIN—On Tuesday morning, June 2d, 1874, EMMA MARTHA, daughter of Henry and Agnes Ann Elkin, aged 2 years and 15 days.

The funeral will take place on THURSDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, from the residence of her parents, No. 180 Penn avenue. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend without further notice.

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NOTICE—THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned and Samuel R. French, in the manufacture of Fire Brick, under the firm of French & Quay, having been dissolved by the death of Capt. French, all claims against said firm will be presented, properly authenticated, for settlement, and all persons indebted thereto will make payment to me, at Beaver, Pa. M. S. QUAY.

JOSEPH R. HARRAH, Attorney. ap24

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OFFICE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, June 3, 1874.

The following letters remain uncalled for in the Pittsburgh Postoffice, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 1874.

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Abrahams Mrs, Anderson M, Appleby M, Atkinson Mrs, Avendall M A, Barker B C, Banley J, Bell E (2), Berry L, Bock Mary, Bloomer C, Bremer J E, Burke E, Carline E, Cassidy M, Charles J S, Christy A, Chutnuit M, Clark J, Clark C, Clark W B, Clark E M, Collins J, Crach E, Cook G, Cummins P, Connelly F, Cosgrave F, Cranston N, Cresswell L M, Cresswell E A, Culp E, Cullen M, Curley C, Davidson N J, Davis Annie, Doolan M, Emans L F, English T, Evans B, Evans A, Farley R (for), Faudenburgh M, Faley D, Feigley E, French A (Sta A), French C B, Ferguson N, Grant A E (2), Getty E F, Gilbert Miss, Gorman M (for), Grace M (for), Graham A, Graffson J M, Grimage A A (2), Hall E, Hagarman K, Harris M, Hiland E C, Hefft M (Sta A), Huggan Mrs, Hozes M, Howev C, Huck L, Hyne M E, Isett Lou, Joyce S, Kauffman E, Kane S, Kelly M, Kelly C, Kent L, Kirkpatrick A B, Kirkpatrick A (2), Killikelly H, Kleng T, Landrett L, Lane A, Lewis W P, Levi E, Lenz F, Locke S, Lour S, Maghan Bell, Martin M (Sta A), Mahon B, Mellor H (Sta A), Minnice M, Miler E M (Sta A), Minchington M E (for), Morris E, Munson H L, Myers M A, Mullens M, McCreary M (Sta A), McEterney M (sta A), McBren B (Sta A), McLoyd R (for), McDonald F (Sta A), McDermot J, McElroy C, McElhany S, McGowan L, McMurra M, McMennaman P, Norris Miss, Orr W S, O'Brien S, O'Neill M, Peters S, Percival L, Ramage M, Reed E (Sta A), Reed Dora, Reynold J W, Robinson M, Rohan M, Rees L, Rowan Miss (for), Russell S M, Ruth A, Reynolds A H, Rye F, Sheppard M A, Shreman M A, Smith M, Smith A, Southworth V, Spencer E, Stamford M, Stour M, Stetts S C, Stewart A, Stewart J, Tarick L, Tea L M, Thompson H, Trawill L, Williams M, Williams M, Wilson M, Wilson M, Woodroe B, Wyatt E.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, June 3, 1874.

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(48th St), Day J W, Davis C W, Davis Jos A, Devlin Jno F, Decey Harry H, De Garmo A, De Vaux Wm, Deaver C, Denniston E, Dean Geo, Delta W, Dixon A, Donges Andrew, Donnelly Hugh, Donnelly Pat, Donohue C (for), Doyle Jas, Dreve L, Duckham Wm, Duff Robt P, Dunn John, Dyer Wm (for), Ecker D R, Esley Jas, Elliott Mr, Elsey Cap Ed, Esbell G, Edm Jas (for), Erosle H, Egan Wm, Epps M, Emmons J, Emerson R H, English W, Evans W, Evans W M, Fallon E J, Fasnacht F, Fenn F, Felrath L T, Fiese Jno, Fitch E, Fleming Pat, Fenton J F, Fletcher Jno, Fox Jno, Fox F, Fortner Geo, Fowler Jno, Gardner Mr, Gaines J 2, Gase J, Gasside J, Gasper F R, Gavey J A, Gerard J R, Gettier E, Getty A A, George S, Gill D, Gibson T S, Gleason E, Gorrich C, Gray J S, Greves S P, Grovell J F, Green N, Guire G M, Hall Wm J (for), Haley J J, Hanke A, Hanley D, Hart W J, Hawkins F, Harris W A 2, Harding E, Harrison R, Hare P, Hartlock D, Hardy Ed, Hart J R, Haskins J R, Hatfield F R, Hatcher H C, Hayman N 2, Hawkins C M, 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Levy H, Lincoln Saml, Lily Thos R, Lowry Thos, Lowry Jno, Lolley Chas (for), Lovett Geo, Logue Jas, Lucas Saml, Mahrer Urlan, Maler Jno, Mayer Prof Jos, Mayer David, Mayer Danl, Maxwell F C, Marvin C E, Maters Pat, Matthews J W, Masun J L, Martin Mr, Marshall C M, Marshall Wm, Melgram Jas, Meger Wm, Metline A, Miller Henry, Miller Jack, Miller Harrie, Miller Wm G, Mills Jos R, Mohr J G, Mosley G W, Moan Pat (for), Morgan Jno, Morehouse H, Muck Fred, Morse C D, Morgan Jno, Morton Jno, Moods Jno (for), Morrison J H, Moore M, Murray Ed (for), Murphy J H, Mahon O, Munt Wm, Musgrow Jas, McAndrews J W 2, McAdams I, McCartney I F 2, McCarthy D (for), McCartney Capt A, McChesney J, McClintock J, McClintock J P, McConway Robt, McCoy R W, McConathy H, McComb G (Sta A) (for), McCulley R A, McCutcheon Sam, McDougherty P, McDowell J S, McElroy Geo, McFarland T K, McGilchrist M (for), McGovern E G, McGrath Jas, McGuire O M, McKee T, McKane Jas, McKelver Wm M, McKelvey O, McLaughlin Pat, McManes J M, McMarra Thos, McPherson R, McRae J Jno, Neale Jas E, Nelson G W, Nicolas Theo, Noble E J, Olegar D W, Owens Thos (for), Owens Thos J, Osbourne Francis, O'Donnell Jas, O'Hearn J, O'Rourke Jas, Parson H E, Paddock Jno, Parker R P, Pair Jas H, Perst F P, Pendleton I, Petty R B, Pension Jno, Penchatron G, Pfeiffer Ed, Pickart Mr, Pless Wm E, Porter Jas, Treasure Phil, Prosser Sno, Prody J, Quinn M, Ray Wilson 2, Rafferty G T, Rawley Wm (for), Rabert Wm, Rayburn Wm T, Rapp Marcus, Reeden Thos, Ryan Dan (for), Reed W H, Rehecker A, Roberts John, Rooney Mich, Raerson [illegible], Rogers W W, Rogers Eddy, Rogers J W, Robertson R S, Robinson Jno, Robinson W H, Robinson A R, Ryan F F (for), Ryan Wm, Ryan Rich (for), Saltsman R, Saup F A, Sayre J S, Sachling Jno, Schwarm Chas, Scanlon Pat, Scanlan Danl, Scott S, Severn T, Shone M C, Shiels Hugh, Sheffers L, Sheridan Wm, Sheitler O T, Sheey Pat, Sparer H, Shiffer S L, Sheaffer Henry, Simpkins Jno, Sivilter Wm H, Swiler Thos, Smith S (Sta A), Smith Jos, Smith J D, Smith Wm, Smith Wm A, Smith Danl, Smith L O, Smith Thos (for), Smith Chas, Smith F W, Spaulding S J, Seck W M, Stah W G, Steele N C, Stelle J, Stewart W 2, Storm F D, Stutgen C, Staltt Wm, Stuss C, Staub F N, Sullivan E A, Sutherland O C, Taylor Wm, Thompson W A (sta A), Thompson J, Thompley J, Titcomb W G 3, Towsend D B, Trochlich J, Tedd J A, Tucker S, Tweed Mr, Vanline D K, Van Buskirk J V, Walsh E, Wallace T, Wallace S, Walker T M, Warks R S, Watkins A, Watters T, Welsch M, Welsch J R, White G A, Wilkinson A, Wilkinson C R, Wier J R, Will S A, Williams Geo, Wilson J H, Worth G R, Woolner M, Wolf S, Wolf G A, Wolf L, Woodburg J, Wool A C, Wright Geo, Young R, Zuders Jno, Zenter Jno M, Zeck M 2, Zerfs R, Zimmerman Fred.

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POLITICAL.

CONGRESS.

☞FOR CONGRESS IN TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT. THOMAS M. BAYNE. Will be a candidate for Congress in the Twenty-third District, subject to the decision of the Republican Convention. mh28-S

☞FOR CONGRESS, ALEX. M. WATSON. Will be a candidate for the Congressional Nomination in the next Republican Convention for the Twenty-third District. mh23-S

STATE SENATE.

☞FOR STATE SENATE, FORTY-FIFTH DISTRICT, MILES S. HUMPHREYS, Subject to decision of the Republican Nominating Convention. my13-daS

ASSEMBLY.

☞FOR ASSEMBLY, BETWEEN THE RIVERS DISTRICT, LUKE LEADBEATER, Subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

☞FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, E. A. MONTOOTH, Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. my8

☞FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, JOHN S. ROBB, Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. my8:166

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

☞FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, G. W. WEDDELL, OF SOUTH VERSAILLES, Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. das

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

OFFICE OF CLERKS OF COUNCILS, ALLEGHENY, June 1, 1874.

Opening of English Alley.

Notice is hereby given that the report of Viewers on the opening of English alley, was confirmed by Councils May 28th, 1874. Objections to the report must be filed within ten days.

The Report can be seen at this office.

ROLAND T. WHITE, Clerk of Select Council. je1:c51

OFFICE OF THE CITY ENGINEER, CITY OF ALLEGHENY, May 30, 1874.

NOTICE—THE ASSESSMENT FOR the Grading of JOINT ALLEY, from Manhattan street to Fulton street, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until WEDNESDAY, June 10th, 1874, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same. CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer. my30:c49

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER, CITY OF ALLEGHENY, PA., May 26, 1874.

NOTICE—THE ASSESSMENT FOR the Grading, Paving and Curbing of EVANS ALLEY, from Nixon street to Brady street, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until FRIDAY, June 5th, 1874, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same. CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer. my26-c86

OFFICIAL—PITTSBURGH.

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL, PITTSBURGH, May 26, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Viewers' Report on the opening of 34th street has been approved by Councils, which action will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within (10) ten days from date. A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer. my26

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL, PITTSBURGH, May 26, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Viewers' Reports on the construction of Soho Valley Sewer from Soho street to Dinwiddie's line; 14th street Sewer from Spring alley to Allegheny river, have been approved by Councils, which action will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within (10) days from date. A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer. my26

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the Viewers on the opening of COLLEGE AVENUE, from Fifth avenue to Ellsworth avenue, are now in my hands for collection and if not paid within thirty days of the date hereof, liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, cost and fees. THOS. S. BIGELOW, City Attorney. Pittsburgh, May 21, 1874. my22

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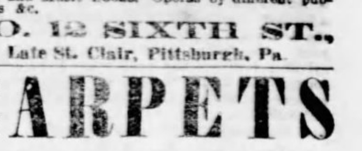

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